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SENATORS EUGENE MCCARTHY of Minnesota and Robert F. Kennedy, left, of New York, are shown at a Democratic fund-raising dinner in New York. The \$500-a-plate affair was sponsored by the New York State Democratic committee. Sen. McCarthy is campaigning in opposition to President Johnson for the 1968 presidential nomination. (AP Wirephoto)

Rocky Declares GOP Governors Preserve Unity

WASHINGTON (AP) — New York Gov. Nelson A. Rockefeller says a move now by Republican governors to line up behind a single contender for the GOP presidential nomination could rupture their unity.

He said the governors are "doing the only good thing they could do" by preserving unity by concentrating on potential campaign issues rather than getting involved in endorsing someone for the nomination.

Rockefeller sharply disputed Monday the assertion of Rep. Melvin R. Laird, R-Wis., that the 26 GOP governors made a mistake and sacrificed their influence on the presidential nomination by failing to agree on a candidate during their meeting last week in Palm Beach, Fla.

"You mean like the Republicans in Congress?" the New York governor said. "Have the Republicans in Congress taken a position on a candidate?"

Laird acknowledged the party's House leadership has not picked one man to back. He said it's for the 1968 candidate who could be most effective in helping to win congressional seats.

Concentrate On Issues

"The governors have worked together as they never have before," Rockefeller said. "They're doing the only good thing they could do to keep united and that is by concentrating on problems—not people."

Rockefeller for months has urged his fellow Republican governors to align behind the candidacy of Michigan Gov. George Romney. He said if that becomes possible, fine. "If they can't let's be realistic," the New Yorker said.

"The more united we are on the platform, the more effective we'll be on anything else," Rockefeller told newsmen after a meeting of the Republican Coordinating Committee.

Rhode Island Gov. John H. Chafee, also a Romney supporter, said the GOP governors will be a powerful factor in the selection of a nominee.

Influence Delegations
"They will have a great deal of influence with the various delegations," Chafee said.

"I think it was obvious right from the beginning that you weren't going to have unanimity on a candidate," said Gov. Daniel J. Evans of Washington.

Although the governors appear undecided on backing a single candidate, the public's favorite by a decisive margin, the Harris poll reported, is Richard M. Nixon.

The newest survey by Louis



Faith In Govt. Is Strength Of Dollar

WASHINGTON (AP) — The good faith of the government and the strongest economy in the world—not the gold at Ft. Knox, Ky.—is the real strength behind the U.S. dollar.

That's why government officials see no technical problem in eliminating the last domestic link between gold and dollars—the 25 per cent gold cover. The only obstacles are political and psychological, they feel.

Next year, the Treasury Department is expected to ask Congress to remove the requirement that each \$1 placed in circulation must be backed by 25 cents in gold.

This will free more than \$10 billion in gold for possible sales to foreign countries and reinforce U.S. policy to buy and sell gold at \$35 an ounce—a policy officials say has made the dollar as good as gold.

It's a keystone of the present international money system.

The decline in U.S. gold stocks since 1949—from \$24.56 billion to less than \$13 billion—has increased pressure on the gold cover. The available gold is

now 28.5 per cent of the paper money in circulation.

Government and many private economists contend the gold cover idea is archaic—a throwback to the era of hard money when a dollar could be exchanged for gold.

Despite the gold cover, dollar bills cannot now be exchanged for gold, even at the rate of 25 cents to the dollar.

Republican leaders have already taken aim at the expected bid to remove the gold cover but their major criticism is of administration financial policy.

"Eight years of deficits and irresponsible spending have brought the nation to the brink of financial crisis," the Republican Coordinating Committee said Monday.

"We deplore that the Johnson administration may soon find it necessary to request removal of the remaining gold backing behind our currency, now 25 per cent, thus turning it wholly into paper money," the committee statement said.

It's been more than 30 years since Americans could hold gold in other than jewelry, tooth fill-

ings or other industrial or artistic purpose.

Many people, Treasury officials have said, still don't realize that since 1934 U.S. citizens have been forbidden to hoard gold. Only foreign central banks—the counterpart of the Federal Reserve System—have the privilege of exchanging dollars for gold.

The United States is one of the few remaining industrial countries still linking its currency to gold internally.

Of the free world's major

countries, only Switzerland, Belgium, the Netherlands and South Africa have such a link.

Even France, where the fondness for gold is beyond question, has none backing the franc.

The Federal Reserve Board backs every dollar placed in circulation 100 per cent. What's not covered by gold is backed by government securities held by the system.

This places the good faith of the government and its taxing powers behind each dollar bill in circulation.

House Votes Cut Of \$4.1 Billion In Federal Spending

WASHINGTON (AP) — Congress appears certain to okay hefty pay boosts for federal workers at virtually the same time it approves a \$4.1 billion cut in federal spending.

In Monday action on separate measures:

—The House voted 368 to 26 for a measure to slash spending \$4.1 billion this fiscal year, sending the administration-backed bill to the Senate where speedy acceptance is predicted.

—The House sent to the Senate on a 326-62 vote a measure that would boost the salaries of postal workers 6 per cent and of other federal workers 4.5 per cent. The bill also provides for additional pay hikes on July 1 next year and July 1, 1969 at an eventual annual cost of \$2.7 billion.

Postal Increase

—The pay bill includes proposed increases in postal rates that would raise first-class stamps from 5 to 6 cents and air mail stamps from 8 to 10 cents.

Senate Democratic Leader

Mike Mansfield said he anticipated no difficulties in speeding the spending cut measure to the White House, which called for the slashes as part of a proposal for a 10 per cent surcharge on personal and corporate income taxes.

The administration advocated the budget cuts in hopes of persuading Congress to approve the tax boost but there's no chance of action on taxes before next year's session.

Before agreeing on the \$4.1 billion figure the House rejected 213 to 183 a GOP proposal for slashes totaling \$5.7 billion.

The bill approved would require federal agencies to cut personnel costs by 2 per cent and other controllable expenditures by 10 per cent.

Mike Pay 10 Per Cent

The action came shortly before the House vote to raise salaries of federal workers more than 10 per cent over the next 19 months.

Congress itself would be exempted from the economy drive it is ordering for most other federal agencies. The federal judiciary wouldn't be affected, either.

Also exempt would be national defense programs, veterans' benefits, Social Security benefits, farm-price supports and health insurance payments.

Based on current estimates, federal spending in the fiscal year ending next June 30 would be \$136.2 billion.

Expect Senate OK

Under the postal-pay measure, also expected to win quick Senate approval, postal rates for all classes of mail would go up by next Jan. 7, generating new revenue of \$800 million a year once they're all in effect.

The measure also would boost post-card postage from 4 to 5 cents and air mail cards from 6 to 8 cents. The per-piece postal rates for third-class mail would rise from 2.875 cents to 3.5 cents starting next month, then to 4 cents in July 1969. But a 3.8-cent rate would apply to the first 250,000 pieces mailed in any year.

Second-class rates, which cover newspapers and magazines, would jump next year from 1 cent to 1.1 cent under the minimum rate, then to 1.2 cents in 1969 and 1.3 cents in 1970.

Both the pay and postal rate boosts exceed President Johnson's requests but indications are he'll sign the measure.

Birth Control Plan:

Govt. Approval For Every Baby

HAMILTON, Ont. (AP) — Dr. William Bradford Shockley, who shared a Nobel Prize in 1956 for helping to develop the transistor, has proposed a sweeping birth control plan that includes temporary sterilization of all women and government approval before each baby.

The Stanford University physicist explained his plan in a lecture at McMaster University Monday night and also accused "inverted liberals" of blocking research into inherited intelligence differences between Negroes and whites.

The chief points of Shockley's birth control plan are these:

The public would first of all vote on the rate of population growth it wants. The Census Bureau would determine how many children each couple could have in keeping with the predetermined growth rate and certificates would be issued to them.

All girls would be temporarily

sterilized by time-capsule contraceptives. When a woman and her husband wanted children, they would have the time-capsule removed by a public health agency on turning in one of their certificates. After the child was born, the contraceptive capsule would be reinserted.

Couples not wishing children or wishing less than they were entitled to could sell their surplus certificates on the open market.

Under this system, Shockley said, "only people who want and can afford children will have them."

The physicist also made a plea for research into racial differences. He urged eugenic studies related to the relative intelligence levels of Negroes and Caucasians.

"Let's ask the questions, do the necessary research, get the facts, discuss them widely," Shockley said, "then either worries will evaporate or plans for action will be developed."

Percy Party Unscratched When Reds Shell Village

SAIGON (AP) — Sen. Charles Percy, his wife and seven other Americans escaped injury today when Communist gunners opened up with mortars and small arms during a spur-of-the-moment, unescorted visit to the devastated village of Dakson.

Some of the five mortar rounds crashed within 15 to 20 feet of the 48-year-old senator, who is a potential Republican presidential candidate, and four men inspecting the village with him, but no one was hit. The group took cover, and Percy got some small scratches on his arms as he crawled behind some wood huts.

Mrs. Percy had remained in the group's helicopter 75 yards away with the pilot and two crewmen. They flew her to a nearby town and returned with an escort of armed Army choppers to rescue the senator and his companions.

"This is closer to action than I got in three years of World War II," Percy, a U.S. Navy veteran, told a news conference after he returned to Saigon.

Meanwhile, the U.S. Command announced that 471 Viet Cong and North Vietnamese regulars—the equivalent of a battle-ready battalion—were killed in a six-day battle that ended Monday along the narrow coastal plains near the pivotal town of Bong Son.

Allied casualties were 33 Americans and 30 South Vietnamese soldiers killed, and 147 Americans and 71 South Vietnamese wounded.

The battle erupted when two companies of the helicopter-borne U.S. 1st Air Cavalry Division began a sweep of the scrub land along the coast about 300 miles north-northeast of Saigon. Just to the north a battalion from the South Vietnamese 40th Infantry Regiment was pushing south.

Both allied groups ran into fortifications manned by the seasoned 22nd Regiment of the North Vietnamese 3rd Division.

Over the next six days the allied troops pushed forward, then pulled back while planes, artillery and helicopter gunships pounded the enemy over a five-mile stretch of the coast.

The Communists made a final stand in the fortified village of Truong Lam, which was overrun Monday. In it the cavalrymen found about 60 new graves in which the Reds had hastily tried to conceal some of their dead.

Many more of the veteran Communist troops evidently slipped away to the south.

The battle on the Bong Son plain was the latest in a series of stand-and-fight engagements provoked in recent days by American and South Vietnamese sweep operations. Otherwise, the Communist troops have stuck mainly to hit-and-run attacks except along the borders of Cambodia and Laos, where shorter supply lines enable them to make more large-scale assaults.

A pattern of widespread small skirmishes was repeated in today's war communique from U.S. headquarters. Air action in the north was again hampered by monsoon rains, but some improvement permitted 101 combat missions, the largest number in three weeks.

Senate Passes \$14.2 Billion In Education Aids

WASHINGTON (AP) — An administration pledge to revise procedures for cutting off funds to segregated schools spurred Senate passage of the \$14.2 billion federal aid-to-education bill.

The 71-7 Senate vote Monday sent the measure to a conference with the House, where further attempts to water down anti-segregation procedures are expected.

Southern senators dropped stalling tactics and permitted final action on the measure—largest aid-to-education authorization in history—once the pledge arrived in a letter from Secretary John W. Gardner of the Health, Education and Welfare Department.

Democratic leaders said they hoped a quick conference could be held on it and a compromise version sent to President Johnson before Congress adjourns for the year, probably at the end of this week.

Sen. Wayne Morse, D-Ore., manager of the bill, told reporters it was particularly important to act on the bill because it changes the formula for distribution in the current year of grant funds under Title I of the Elementary and Secondary School Act.

About \$1.2 billion of federal money is being made available to school districts over the nation under Title I for the present year. It covers aid to improve educational opportunities for children of low-income families.

The main provisions of the bill would extend for three years, starting next July 1, the authorization for aid under all sections of the Elementary and Secondary School Act.

Extended for the same period would be the impacted areas program of grants to school districts with enrollments swollen because of nearby federal facilities.

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Dentistry Board
LANSING (AP) — Acting Gov. William Milliken has appointed Dr. William Graetz of Birmingham to the State Board of Dentistry. He will succeed Dr. Albert Shullman, whose term expires Dec. 31, for a new term expiring Dec. 31, 1974. Senate confirmation is required.

Weather
ESCANABA AND VICINITY—Cloudy, windy, turning colder this afternoon with snow flurries this afternoon and tonight. High today, 35 and low tonight, 27. Cloudy and colder Wednesday with a chance of a few snow flurries. High yesterday, 34 and low overnight, 30. Westerly winds, becoming northwest (15 to 25 mph) this afternoon and tonight. Thursday outlook: partly cloudy and cool. Precipitation probabilities: today, 50%; tonight, 40%; Wednesday, 20%.

Upper Peninsula—Cloudy with a little snow likely this afternoon. Highs 32 to 37. Cloudy and colder with snow flurries likely tonight and Wednesday. Lows tonight 18 to 26. Highs Wednesday mostly in the 20s.

Sun sets today at 4:04 p.m. and rises Wednesday at 7:21 a.m. Low temperature readings:

Albany	30	Memphis	40
Albuquerque	27	Miami	70
Atlanta	42	Milwaukee	35
Bismarck	23	Mpls.-St. P.	31
Boise	21	New Orleans	37
Boston	40	New York	38
Buffalo	42	Okla. City	33
Chicago	38	Omaha	30
Cincinnati	42	Philadelphia	44
Cleveland	45	Phoenix	33
Denver	21	Pittsburgh	44
Des Moines	32	Plind, M.	25
Detroit	42	Plind, O.	28
Fairbanks	18	Rapid City	20
Fort Worth	43	Richmond	43
Helena	9	St. Louis	35
Honolulu	62	S. Lake City	16
Indianapolis	37	San Diego	57
Jacksonville	60	S. Francisco	50



MICHIGAN'S GOV. GEORGE ROMNEY and his wife, arrive at London's Airport from Paris during their world tour. Romney will have two days of talks with British leaders and said that he expects "to get the British viewpoint on a number of matters — Vietnam, international monetary affairs, European-American problems and the Common Market." Mrs. Romney is bundled up in a black and white fur coat to face Britain's pre-Christmas snow. (AP Wirephoto via cable from London)

Romney, British Talk Viet Peace

LONDON (AP) — After talks with leaders of Britain's Labor government, Michigan Gov. George Romney met with Conservative party chiefs today on his 13-nation world tour.

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Shotgun Armed Bandits Sought By Area Police

NEGAUNEE — Roadblocks were maintained throughout the Upper Peninsula today as law enforcement officers continued investigation into the armed robbery of a branch drive-in bank of the First National Bank of Negaunee early Monday night.

Bank officials revealed this morning after a check by auditors that \$6,914 was taken by two men, one of them armed and both wearing nylon stockings over their heads.

The teller, Mrs. Susan Downrick, 22, Ishpeming, was alone in the bank when the two men entered between 5:30 and 5:35 p.m. She said one of them carried a shotgun and both wore hooded jackets.

One she described as tall (6 feet to 6-foot-2 inches and the other as short (about 5-foot-2).

They ordered her to "hurry up and put all the money you have in this bag," (giving her what resembled a grocery shopping bag) then told her to pull the telephone cord out of the wall. When she was unable to do so, they ordered her to lie down on the floor "and stay there for 15 minutes" and left.

After a minute or two, Mrs. Downrick got up and was unable to see any sign of the robbers in the darkness outside. She locked up and drove immediately to the Negaunee police station.

Police said she arrived at 5:40 p.m.

State Police were immediately notified and in addition to setting up roadblocks began checking for clues in cooperation with city police and Marquette County sheriff's officers. Since all National Bank funds are protected under federal law, FBI agents also joined the investigation.

Police found tracks in the snow outside the drive-in bank and followed them for about a quarter of a mile through open fields to where the men apparently had parked their getaway vehicle.

Bank officials said that two attendants usually are at the drive-in facility during most of the hours it is open for business. They stressed that the loss is covered by insurance.

The bank is located on U.S. 41 near the eastern outskirts of Negaunee. It has been in operation about two years.

Home Fire Fatal

BRIDGEPORT (AP) — Joseph Hevers, 75, died today in a fire at his frame home in Bridgeport, about five miles south of Saginaw. A passing motorist alerted firemen, who suspect the blaze was ignited by a space heater.

Ford Yule Bonus

DETROIT (AP) — Some 136,000 United Auto Workers at Ford will share in \$4,800,000 in bonuses to be paid on the workers' last pay day before Christmas.

Ken Bannan, UAW Ford director, said the bonuses, averaging \$36 a man, are due every UAW worker with one or more year's seniority at Ford as of Dec. 3.

Today's Chuckle

The only thing that gives you more for your money than it did 10 years ago is the penny you put in the scale at the corner drugstore.

Jr. High Pupils Bag Popcorn For Soldiers Popping

LANSING (AP)—A ton of corn will be popping in Vietnam this Christmas thanks to the combined efforts of several Lansing and East Lansing groups.

The popcorn push began little more than a week ago when the distributor of a Midwest popcorn company read about how U.S. soldiers in Vietnam enjoy popping corn.

The man, E.E. White, told The Lansing State Journal he'd donate a ton of the stuff if someone could be found to bag and send the corn to Southeast Asia.

About 50 students at East Lansing Junior High School rolled up their sleeves and went to work, stuffing the corn into 2,000 one-pound bags.

"You had to see those students working to believe how well organized they were," White said. "They worked so well that they filled the bags in about three hours. It was exciting to work with youngsters like that."

The Lansing Building Trades Council and the Lansing Jaycees plan to put the bags into larger boxes for shipment. Workers at the Oldsmobile axle plant in Lansing said they would donate money which they

usually spend on Christmas cards for each other. They collected more than \$200 to help pay shipping costs. The Building Trades Council will make up the difference, adding some \$183.

The groups are asking for the names and address of individual soldiers, so they can send the popcorn directly to soldiers instead of to military units or American Red Cross field directors.

"It's just wonderful," White said. "I was in a war when I was a young man and I know what it means for a soldier to get something in the mail."

"But those packages will contain more than popcorn. They are full of warmth and good intentions. It's really wonderful."

Largest Crop In History Cost Most; Earns Less

CHICAGO — It is time to change agriculture from a subsidy-oriented to a profit-oriented business, Charles B. Shuman, president of the American Farm Bureau Federation, said here to the 49th annual meeting of the Federation.

Government farm control, direct payment and price support programs are being used to hold farm prices down and to force farmers to accept payments in lieu of the full market price, Shuman said.

"Approximately 20 per cent of net farm income now comes from direct subsidy payments from the federal treasury and cotton farmers get almost half of their total crop returns from their source."

"American agriculture has been rapidly converted by the Great Society planners and politicians to a subsidy-oriented business. It is time for a change. Farmers want their industry profit-oriented," he said.

Could Be Eased Out

The national farm leader said that there is good reason to believe that with proper transitional protection against dumping of government-held commodity stocks and other temporary hazards, government farm programs could be terminated "quite rapidly with market gains rather than losses accruing to farmers."

Shuman termed "ridiculous" statements by Secretary of Agriculture Orville Freeman and others that the 1967 surplus grain production and farm price disaster is a sample of what would happen with a no controls-free market operation in agriculture.

"The wheat and feed grain production binge of 1967 was not a product of the free market, but must be charged to the mistakes of the Administration in promoting an extensive 'feed the hungry world' campaign."

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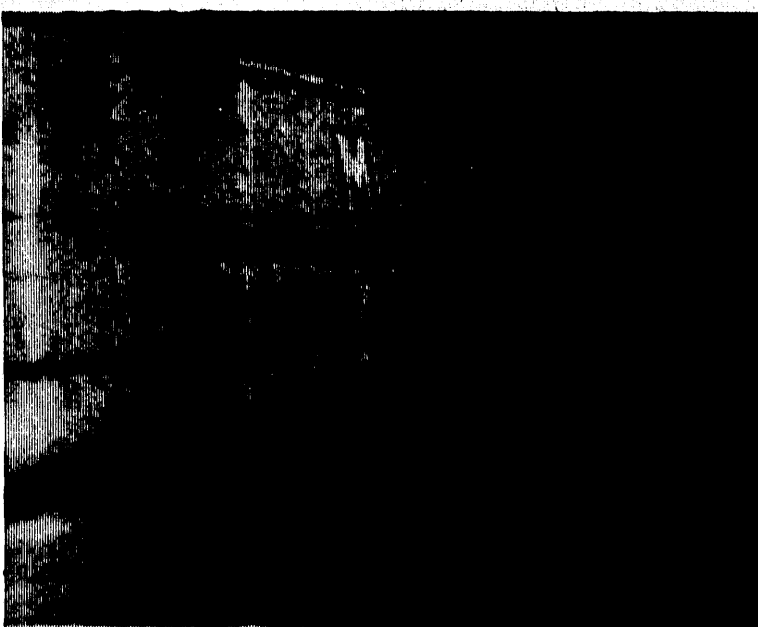
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MISS BETTY GIBOUT, a native of Menominee, recently joined the staff of the Mid-Peninsula Library Federation. Miss Gibout will be responsible for film programming in Delta, Alger, Dickinson, Iron, Menominee, and Schoolcraft counties. She is a graduate of Our Lady of Lourdes High School in Marinette and for five years has served in the extension department of the Kalamazoo Library System. Her experience also includes work with the Spies Public Library, Menominee, the Escanaba Public Library, and the U. P. Branch of the Michigan State Library, Escanaba.

Donors Provide 'Greatest Gift' Says Red Cross

A gift of blood—a gift of life—is the greatest gift of all, says the American Red Cross, in its appeal for donors for the bloodmobile which is to visit Delta County just in advance of Christmas.

The bloodmobile, sponsored by the Delta County Chapter of the Red Cross, will be at the James T. Jones School in Gladstone from 3 to 7 p.m. on Wednesday, Dec. 20.

On Thursday, Dec. 21, from 2:30 to 7:30 p.m., the bloodmobile will be at the Teamsters Hall in Escanaba; and it will be at the same location on Friday, Dec. 22, from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

The quota for the three-day procurement clinic is the same as in the past—a total of 307 units—with 77 for the first day, and 115 for the second and third days.

Blood donors are asked to make appointments by calling the Delta County Red Cross in Escanaba, and they will be advised to report to the bloodmobile at a time convenient to them. Or they may (if they prefer and have time to wait for a few minutes) become "walk-in" donors and report at any time on any of the three days.

"Give the greatest gift of all—the gift of life to someone who needs your blood," the Red Cross pleads in asking support of the blood program in Delta County.

For all residents of the county, the blood donors do indeed give a gift—since any Delta County resident in need of blood will receive it free no matter where he may be a hospital patient. The only charge is that of the hospital for administration of the blood.

The Red Cross, in an effort to get answers to pertinent questions that will help it do a better blood recruitment job in the future, will ask donors to fill out a questionnaire after they have given blood.

They will be asked why they are giving blood; if this is their first donation; what months of the year they prefer to give blood; if they were treated in a friendly and courteous manner; and what constructive criticism they may have of the bloodmobile operation of its staff.

"In your opinion, why do only 8 per cent of people physically eligible to donate blood actually do so?" is a question that should also arouse the curiosity of everyone.

Donors are also invited to name three persons who might also become future blood donors.

Iron River Man Held In Slaying Is Committed

IRON RIVER—A 72-year-old Upper Peninsula woodsman charged with the ax murder last spring of his logging companion has been sent to Newberry State Hospital for 18 months of mental treatment.

Circuit Judge Ernest W. Brown signed the order sending Pete Simmons to the hospital Monday. After 18 months of treatment he will be re-examined to determine whether or not he is fit to stand trial for murder.

Simmons was charged with killing Leo Rietmeyer, 52, during an argument at their campsite about 14 miles north of Iron River last spring.

Homeowners should be sure their Christmas tree lights are off before leaving home.

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Now you can buy up to:	\$1,000	\$1,400	\$2,000	\$3,000	\$4,000	\$5,000	\$6,000	\$7,000	\$8,000	\$9,000	\$10,000	\$11,000	\$12,000	\$13,000	\$14,000	\$15,000	\$16,000	\$17,000	\$18,000	\$19,000	\$20,000

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Give the Greatest Gift...

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Briefly Told

The Upper Peninsula of Michigan Gladiola Society will hold its Christmas party at Marco's on Thursday evening, Dec. 14, beginning with a dinner at 8:30 o'clock. There will be a short program and members are asked to bring gifts for exchange.

Unseasonably mild weather has kept crews from flooding city skating rinks and the opening of the skating season will be delayed. The used skate market, however, will begin operation at Club 314 Friday, Dec. 15, at 7 p.m.

The regular weekly meeting of the newly created Escanaba Optimist Club will be held at the Old Town restaurant Wednesday at 12:15 p.m.

Delta Lodge 195, F&AM, will hold a special communication for work in the F&AM Degree at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday. Visiting Masons are invited to attend.

HIS WORK
The first English translation of the Scriptures made by direct translation from the original Hebrew and Greek, and the first to be printed, was the work of William Tyndale.

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Weather Robot To Circle Sun

CAPE KENNEDY, Fla. (AP)

—A robot "interplanetary weatherman" named Pioneer 8 is poised to rocket into orbit around the sun Wednesday as the prime payload of a tricky two-in-one launch attempt.

En route to the solar orbit, a second spacecraft—called TTS for test and training satellite—is to pop off the side of Pioneer's sleek Delta booster rocket and become a satellite of earth, where it can serve as an orbiting radio relay station to test gear in America's Apollo man-in-space tracking network.

Pioneer 8, scheduled to blast off at 9:08 a.m. EST Wednesday, could provide the best information yet on how great a danger the sun's radiation poses to astronauts. The drum-shaped spacecraft is to zip into a sun-circling orbit between that of Earth and Mars, where its instruments can radio information about the solar wind, cosmic rays and magnetic and electric fields in interplanetary space.

Planners of the nation's man-to-moon program are primarily interested in the solar wind, a great radiation storm that originates from huge thermonuclear reactions that erupt beneath the seething surface of the sun.

These solar flares send tremendous streams of radiation into interplanetary space that could endanger astronauts traveling outside a protective umbrella created by Earth's magnetic field.

Teaming up with other radiation-studying craft—including Pioneer 6 located about 144 million miles ahead of Earth and Pioneer 7, about 68 million miles behind this planet, Pioneer 8 is to help develop a solar-flare warning system so manned flights can be scheduled around these deadly eruptions.

MORE BOYS THAN GIRLS
In all the races of mankind, more boys than girls are born. The ratio is generally considered to average about 106 males per 100 females, or about 51 per cent males.

GOODYEAR
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Whitewalls or Blackwalls tubeless or tube type
ANY SIZE LISTED
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725x14 670x15 Plus ex. tax
750x14 775x15 35c to 51c
Other sizes proportionately low
Depending on size - Exchange
(retreads on sound tire bodies)
You get the same famous winter-traction tread design that comes on our new "Suburbanite" winter tires.



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Kiwanis Club Honors Coaches

The Escanaba Kiwanians honored coaches from Escanaba who have fashioned Upper Peninsula championships for their respective teams in a program Monday arranged by Jack Winters.

Included were Escanaba Area High School football coach Jerry Cvensgro, Escanaba Area High School basketball coach Harold Johnson, Escanaba's American Legion Cubs baseball coach Al Erickson, and Babe Ruth League All-Star Baseball coach Joe Hebert.

Johnson and Erickson were unable to attend the meeting, but Cvensgro and Hebert gave interesting sidelights of their careers and of their season's fine records.

Cvensgro said he was proud to have worked with "such a fine coaching staff and remarkable group of boys." He said that a coach's biggest satisfaction comes from watching individuals progress, and seeing the stature that boys gain with every game, whether it be a win or a loss.

Football coaching is a full time job, Cvensgro continued, as conditioning throughout the year, as well as helping to coach sports other than one's own. He said that it is great to have an all-winning season, but many intangibles enter into the picture, as well as a lot of good breaks, and it must be remembered that coaches who don't win them all work just as hard.

Cvensgro, a graduate of Ironwood, Mich., participated in football, basketball, baseball and track.

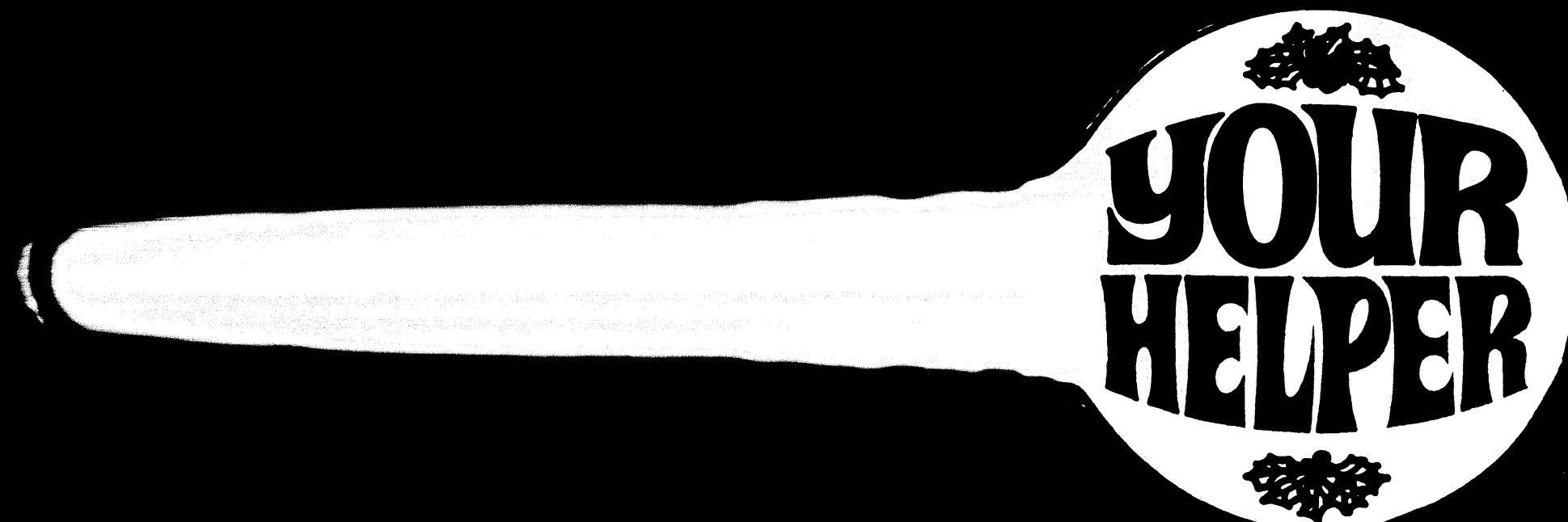
Joe Hebert, who coached the Kiwanis Babe Ruth League team, led the All Stars to the Upper Peninsula title this year. He spoke of his high school career at Escanaba High, where he was in baseball, basketball, track, cross country and tennis.

Hebert, who is a towering 5 feet 4 inches, chose basketball as his favorite sport, and stated that his biggest thrill came from making the team, and being a part of Escanaba's U.P. championship team that year. He claimed that his attention to training and conditioning rules was his greatest asset in making a team that is normally ruled by six-footers.

As another part of the meeting, perfect attendance pins were awarded by District 14. Gov. Mel Nyquist. Receiving 2-year pins were Jack Beck, Roy Hivala, Denny Lord, Ray McDonough, Lyle Shaw, Ray Shaw, 3-year pin to Don Wertz, 5-year to Walter Lewke, 7-year to Rene Labre, 9-year to Bill Mulvaney, 13-year to Thaxter Shaw, 15-year to Con Finstrom, 18-year to Albin Olson and 23-year to Kirk Harrington.

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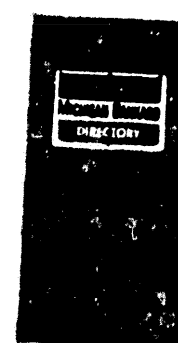
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The Dairy Crisis

Dairy farming is the biggest thing in Upper Peninsula agriculture. It accounts for more than \$10 million a year income to U. P. farmers. No other kind of farming produces that much income.

Our dairy cattle are our most numerous livestock. Our acreage devoted to dairy farming is the greatest in U. P. agriculture.

This industry is important to us, to area income, to employment, to community support, and to land values.

It is our chief means — after forestry — of converting the soil's capacity for growing things into cash. We raise alfalfa and grasses and grains like oats and barley, for forage and herd rations and we raise corn for silage to feed our dairy herds. Thousands and thousands of acres along U. P. roadsides are devoted to these usages.

Our chief method of creating farm income is to raise feeds, put them through cows, and sell the milk that results.

The huge threat of "imitation" milk draws heavily upon this same process, but skips the cows. Soy beans are a major source of the vegetable fats that are being used in "filled" milk to substitute for the butterfat that natural milk provides, and which is less in demand for American diet than it used to be.

If there were any industry which the U. P. could attract which would contribute \$10 million to \$12 million a year to its economy we'd be pretty excited about it.

To be consistent, we should be excited about the survival of an industry which is making such a contribution now and which has been making such a contribution for many years.

Our dairy industry isn't threatened with extinction, but it is under the greatest competitive threat of its life from dairy substitutes. It will not emerge from the fight which it is now entering unchanged. It may be smaller and better suited for survival under modern marketing conditions. It could even conceivably be larger, but it won't be the same.

Our dairy farmers who are shipping Grade A milk (there are only 448 of them left in the U. P. and a smaller number selling Class II milk for manufacture into cheese and other dairy products) have elected to fight the threat of "imitation" milk which is now being sold in 7 western states and which is assuredly coming to Michigan.

They are much wiser today than when they set out to defend butter against the threat of oleomargarine by attempts to prohibit its sale or tax it out of competition. They are planning to keep their milk markets by developing new milk products through research and by better marketing and promotion of dairy products. This is the best possible approach to their problem.

Our farmers can stand some help in this contest. Our Northern public can give help with no loss to themselves. We don't grow any soy beans or coconuts or ear corn in the Upper Peninsula. We grow grasses and legumes and hardy grains like oats. They will support a good dairy industry.

This industry, unfortunately, now markets most of its products through supermarkets which do not promote them. That must be done by the industry itself and that means the dairy farmers themselves in this instance, since the big dairy plants are just as willing to receive their income from dairy substitutes as from milk.

Our farmers are undertaking to do this through the Michigan Milk Producers Association, their bargaining and marketing agency, and the American Dairy Association, their promotional agency. Farmers' income is already too low but they're going to use a bigger part of it for dairy product research and development and for promotion of dairy foods.

They will ask purchase of their products on merit and legislation to require substitutes to conform to the standards of their industry. That's only asking fair treatment for an old friend.

Gift To Humanity

With our modern techniques, a single American farmer feeds and clothes nearly 40 of his countrymen. In the underdeveloped countries, the average farmer barely feeds his own family.

Christmas sharpens the contrast. While we shop for festive items for family and friends, half the people on earth are hungry. Surely most of us, in this season of goodwill towards all mankind, can afford to add a gift for humanity through CARE's Food Crusade.

Every dollar donated delivers a food package, in the name of the American people. The U.S. helps by donating commodities and host governments share operating costs. A total 6,500,000 packages are needed to complete CARE programs that will help feed 37 million people in 32 countries during the coming year.

The food sustains war refugees in South Vietnam and the Middle East, famine victims in India. In villages from Latin America to Africa, it brings hope for a better life. Served at schools, it helps educate children for a more productive role as the farmers and workers of tomorrow. At preschool centers, it saves malnourished youngsters from permanent mental and physical damage. Paid as wages, it feeds families while men build schools, roads, water systems and other facilities essential to economic development.

Compassion is reason enough to send a holiday contribution. But it is good to know that by our giving we also help the hungry feed themselves in the future. You can mail your check to: CARE Food Crusade, Guardian Building, Detroit, Mich., 48226.

Mattheussen Opposes Levin

BENTON HARBOR (AP) — man and senator at the same time.

Former State Rep. Floyd Mattheussen of Benton Harbor said that the plans to seek the chairmanship of the Democratic State Central Committee.

Earlier State Sen. Sander Levin of Berkley announced his candidacy for the post to be vacated by Zolton Ferency.

"There is a general feeling that there is a great need for a fulltime chairman," said Mattheussen.

Although everyone respects Sander Levin, including myself, it's a questionable procedure that Levin serve as chairman.

Everybody Lends a Hand



People, Events Of Yesteryears

From the Files of the Escanaba Daily Press

25 Years Ago

A sensational scoring streak by Bob Ranguette who dumped in five quick field goals in the last few minutes of the Escanaba-Kingsford basketball game gave the Eskymos a 30-26 decision and their third consecutive win.

A Victory Corps training program designed to meet the wartime needs of high school youth will be initiated at the Escanaba High School at the start of the second semester. The program is divided into five types of training: air, land, sea, production, and community service.

50 Stars Ago

Ten Escanaba men left yesterday for Chicago where they will take their final examinations before leaving for overseas duty in the United States Army. They are: Valentine L. Folio, Frank McLaughlin, Frederick S. Brandt, George Foote, Samuel Hepburn, Lawrence Pepin, Cecil H. Campbell, Julius Papineau, Millard Bottine, and Theodore G. Thompson.

More people get more news from newspapers than all other sources combined.

McCarthy: Threat To LBJ For 1968

By BRUCE BLOSSAT

WASHINGTON — (NEA) — There is no question Democratic leaders are regarding Minnesota Sen. Eugene McCarthy as a more realistic threat to President Johnson's orderly re-nomination in 1968 than Sen. Robert F. Kennedy of New York has ever been.

Believably, Kennedy has told this reporter and many others again and again that he had no intention of becoming involved in the 1968 race in any way except as a full supporter of the President's re-nomination and re-election.

Those who have been engaged in efforts to draft him or otherwise enlist him, mostly as a prop to their anti-Vietnam war objectives, have been doomed from the start to a fruitless enterprise.

McCarthy is another story. He obviously cherishes the limelight and the national scene.

At the height of his state party's bitter internal warfare last year over efforts to dump the then-incumbent Gov. Karl Rolvaag, observers discovered McCarthy on the scene but aloof from the battle, discouraging on some relatively obscure aspect of foreign affairs.

His credentials with Democratic arch-liberals are reasonably secure. He placed their favorite, Adlai Stevenson, in nomination at Los Angeles in 1960. Earlier, backing his fellow Minnesotan, Hubert Humphrey, in the Wisconsin primary, McCarthy went beyond the call of duty in assaults on John F. Kennedy, whom the liberals eyed suspiciously.

McCarthy wanted the vice presidential nomination with Johnson in 1964, when it was still no disgrace, in the liberals' view, to be associated with the President. The senator was pushed aside, of course, for Humphrey.

The crushing of McCarthy's 1964 hopes left him a free agent, and he has since gained

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St. Louis was a rubber bridge player first and a duplicate bridge player second. His grandson, Roger Lord, played with Norbert Kremer in the national rubber bridge tournament at the Sands. They reached the semifinals when Roger jockeyed the opponents into a four-spade contract and Norbert made the killing lead. It was the last hand of the match.

Right now he appears to be increasing his exposure to dissident Democratic groups, and the betting is he will decide to make a run against Johnson next year—with his name entered perhaps in such primaries as New Hampshire, Massachusetts, Wisconsin, Oregon and California.

War critics eager to "get" the President suddenly see McCarthy as providing the missing focus for their endeavors. Very possibly the Minnesotan could cause Johnson serious embarrassment, either by beating him in some primaries and corraling convention delegates, or by coming close enough to suggest that huge opposition exists.

But it has to be remembered that in 1964 the Democrats had 2,316 delegate votes overall. The 1968 total is unlikely to be much different. Only the wildest dreamers in the anti-war camp can imagine that McCarthy would come within several miles of the 1,159 votes needed to nominate.

Johnson adversaries have been stressing lately that the President is losing more and more support among the young, the academic community and religious leaders. New opinion polls underscore his slide among young people.

But in 1964 only 24 per cent of actual voters were 35 years of age and under, and that figure is expected to rise no more than a point or two in 1968. The young are great under-voters.

The seasoned Democratic leaders, who will be strongly influencing the choice of convention delegates in most states, understand well where the actual votes are. A flurry for McCarthy in some primary states might shake them, but not enough to shatter their traditional support of an incumbent president.

Scholle Facing Ulcer Surgery

DETROIT (AP) — Michigan AFL-CIO President August "Gus" Scholle has been hospitalized with a heavily bleeding ulcer. Surgery is scheduled for Friday.

"I was feeling fine," the 63-year-old labor leader told the Associated Press in a telephone interview, "but I kept getting weaker and weaker."

Scholle said he was advised by doctors to leave the AFL-CIO convention in Florida late Friday night and enter the hospital. By the time he had checked into Lakeside General Hospital in Detroit, he added, doctors told him he had lost about 15 per cent of his blood.

Since then, Scholle said, he had been given several transfusions and has regained some of his strength.

Scholle has been president of the Michigan AFL-CIO and the state CIO for 25 years.

Michigan Has 150 Klansmen

WASHINGTON (AP) — Michigan is one of 15 states in which the Ku Klux Klan remains "a vehicle of death, destruction and fear," according to a report by the House Committee on Un-American Activities.

The committee, summarizing two years of hearings into Klan activities, said 16,810 Klansmen were enrolled in 14 Klan groups it had studied, that a 15th had become defunct and that three new groups had appeared on the scene.

The heaviest concentration of membership, the committee said, is in the United Klans of America, headed by Robert Shelton, of Tuscaloosa, Ala. Half the Klans have 100 or fewer members, the committee added.

Chairman Edwin D. Willis, D-La., said in a letter accompanying the 371-page report that Klan membership had dropped during the committee's hearings, but since has experienced an upsurge.

"The latest gains appear to have been stimulated to a great extent," he said, "by riotous situations in Northern cities."

As of early this year, the report said, membership in the large United Klans of America numbered an estimated 15,075. The number of Klansmen in Michigan has been estimated at 150.

South looked hard at Roger and Norbert. South didn't really think that Norbert would be able to make four hearts, but after some more thought South decided that he would surely be able to take eight or more tricks at spades and that since he had better bid four spades and insure the match.

Roger doubled and Norbert made the brilliant opening lead of the deuce of diamonds. South went right up with dummy's ace. He didn't want to take a chance of losing the first trick. Then he made the mistake of taking the spade finesse. West made his singleton king and led a second diamond. Roger won and led the jack of hearts. West's ace picked South's king. The queen of hearts was the fourth defensive trick, a heart ruff the fifth and the ace of clubs the sixth. South lost 500 points and the match!

Top Ten

Daydream Believer, Monkees
Hello Goodbye, Beatles
I Heard it Through the Grapevine, Gladys Knight and the Pips

The Rain, the Park and Other Things, Cowells
I Second That Emotion, Smokey Robinson and the Miracles

An Open Letter to My Teenage Son, Lundberg
Incense and Peppermints, Strawberry Alarm Clock
I Say a Little Prayer, Warwick

You Better Sit Down Kids, Cher
In and Out of Love, Supremes

Best Sellers

(Compiled by Publishers' Weekly)

FICTION
The Confessions of Nat Turner, Syron
The Gabriel Hounds, Stewart Topaz, Uris
Rosemary's Baby, Levin
The Chien, Potok

NONFICTION
Our Crowd, Birmingham
Nicholas and Alexandra, Massie
The New Industrial State, Galbraith

Twenty Letters to a Friend, Ailiuueva
Anyone Can Make a Million, Shulman

Ann Landers

Ugly Duckling Can Be Smoothie Setup

Dear Ann Landers: Please warn mothers that outward appearances mean nothing. Tell them to keep their eyes on their daughters and not to take anything for granted. Just because a girl seems withdrawn doesn't mean she's leading a quiet life.

My friend who has two daughters learned this lesson the hard way. Her 20-year-old Linda was beautiful, well-built and she attracted boys like crazy, starting at age 13. The mother felt the need to keep close tabs on this girl—and she did. They had frequent heart-to-heart talks and the lines of communication were always open. After every date the girl sat on her mother's bed and told her what the evening had been like.

Daughter Number Two (Marie) was 18 months younger—not at all pretty. She was noticeably overweight and had a bad complexion. This girl spent most of her time in her room with her nose in a book. The mother never concerned herself about Marie's morals because she seldom had a date and expressed very little interest in boys.

In September Linda was married to a fine young law student. She wore a white gown and I'll bet she deserved to. Last week Marie wore a white gown also—but it was a hospital gown. She gave birth to a 9-pound baby boy. (No husband in sight and not a clue as to who the father might be.)

The mother nearly had a nervous breakdown. She repeated over and over, "I never dreamed such a thing would happen to her—of all people!"

I'm sure you get the message, Ann. Will you please get it across to the mothers? Thank you—JUST AN OBSERVER

Dear Just: Your letter got the message across very well. But here's a re-cap.

The not-so-pretty, not-so-popular girl is infinitely more vulnerable than the charmer with good looks and personality. An ugly duckling in her eagerness to be loved, can be easy prey for the smooth operator who makes her believe that if she gives in he will love her. She also may feel that since she has less to offer she must be excessively generous with her physical favors. Are you tuned in, mothers? I hope so.

Dear Ann Landers: My husband is a jerk. All his life he has done people favors. He repairs their electric appliances, drives them wherever they want to go, lends them money, signs notes at the bank and sits up half the night doing their tax returns. Just name it and my schnook does it.

I've told him for 22 years that he is a fool — that he should charge for his services, that people don't appreciate what they get for nothing. He pays no attention to me whatever.

He thinks you are a very smart woman. Will you please give him some of your common sense, down-to-earth advice?—IGNORED

Dear Ignored: The advice is for you, Lady. Get off his back. You say he hasn't listened to you in 22 years so why not take the hint?

If your husband charged for his favors he'd lose the pleasure of giving—and this, my friend, can be a lot more rewarding than a buck here and a buck there.

Confidential to Proof In The Pudding: I'm unconvinced. Statistics can be arranged so that they will support almost anything—especially the statistician.

Unsure of yourself on dates? What's right? What's wrong? Should you? Shouldn't you? Send for Ann Landers' booklet "Dating Do's and Don'ts," enclosing with your request \$3 in coin and a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope.

Ann Landers will be glad to help you with your problems. Send them to her in care of this newspaper, enclosing a self-addressed and stamped envelope.

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BARBS

If it is true that the road to the nether world is paved with good intentions, we should be holding the prime contracting job.

The boss is hair-conditioning the office—his son will be out of college early next year.

There's a new, frozen, vegetable-in-marshmallow sauce product in the market, and you are invited to concoct your own funny about this one.

Olio

ACROSS

- 1 Summertime
- 2 What time?
- 3 Waxed
- 4 Egg-shaped ornament (arch. var.)
- 5 Heavy's partner
- 6 Plane service
- 7 Philistine fish
- 8 Newspaper
- 9 article of a suit
- 10 Clam
- 11 Lively, buoyant
- 12 Angry
- 13 Female sheep
- 14 Sick disorder
- 15 On the brain
- 17 Confidant
- 18 Lighted upon
- 19 Representations at Christmas
- 20 Dress
- 21 Kind of book
- 22 Busted
- 23 Slight
- 24 Falsehood
- 25 Deeds (ab.)
- 26 Raced
- 27 Female saint (ab.)
- 28 Harangue
- 29 Menace
- 30 Dynamite
- 31 Condiment
- 32 Reprove
- 33 Skin opening
- 34 Mariner's direction
- 35 Arab chieftain
- 36 Woody plant
- 37 Morning moisture

DOWN

- 1 Ancient Roman garment
- 2 Impetuous
- 3 Rejuvenate
- 4 At which place?
- 5 Swirl from vertical (geol.)
- 6 Noddies
- 7 Same
- 8 Roman robes
- 9 Bird's egg
- 10 Tidy
- 11 Lepid measures (ab.)
- 12 Lizard
- 13 Open country
- 14 Deeds
- 15 Algae
- 16 High home
- 17 Inflated
- 18 Biochemical compound
- 19 Cautious
- 20 Tidy with the
- 21 Redactor
- 22 Western cattle
- 23 Curious
- 24 Hides
- 25 Paper measure
- 26 Gravel
- 27 Completed
- 28 Effect violently
- 29 Qualified

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VISTA VOLUNTEERS REXANNE Maxwell and Bernadine Branco, in cooperation with the Mid-Peninsula Library Federation, recently opened a reading room in the Hannahville Community Center. Vivian Philemon, B. Philemon and Jerome McCullough, above, were the first visitors to the reading room which is open from 8:30 p. m. to 8:30 p. m., Monday through Thursday and during the day on Saturdays.

Pickets Protest Readers Digest Security Story

DETROIT (AP) — Hundreds of elderly persons picketed Readers Digest Magazine offices in Detroit on Monday as part of a protest in nine other cities. The protest was against what

were said to be "false and damaging statements" the magazine published in its October issue suggesting the U.S. Social Security system is financially unsound.

'Robin Hood' Is Giving Stolen Christmas Trees

JACKSON (AP) — A routine police blotter item about the theft of 30 Christmas trees aroused the holiday spirits of reporter Robert Pfefferkorn of the Jackson Citizen Patriot Monday.

Pfefferkorn noted that the thief left 10 of the stolen trees on the front porch of various homes near the tree lot in nearby Concord.

He interviewed Mrs. Gerald Kintigh, one of the residents who got a "gift" tree and wrote: "Two weeks before Christmas or thereabouts."

She woke when she heard such a clatter. That she ran to the door to see what was the matter. And what to her wondering eyes did appear.

But a shiny blue pickup truck with trees in the rear."

Mrs. Kintigh told police the culprit was a youth but she could give no further identification.

The tree lot owner who located 30 of his marked trees in the area could offer no explanation for the actions of the Robin Hood-like thief.

Allingham And Newman Awarded Degrees by MSU

EAST LANSING—Michigan State University awarded degrees to 1,413 students at its fall term commencement exercises Dec. 8. Diplomas were presented by Dr. John A. Hannah, now in his 26th year as MSU president.

U.P. graduates included: Delta County: Richard A. Allingham, 1121 Stephenson Ave., Escanaba; Bachelor of Arts in personnel administration; and Robert M. Newman, Rte. 1, Gladstone, Bachelor of Science in biology.

Mackinac County: Diane Cheeseman, St. Ignace, Master of Arts in art.

Menominee County: Mary Mars, Menominee, Bachelor of Arts in elementary education; and George Cole, Daggett, Doctor of Philosophy in higher education.

Alger County: Joanne Toebe, Munising, Bachelor of Science in home economics teaching with high honors.

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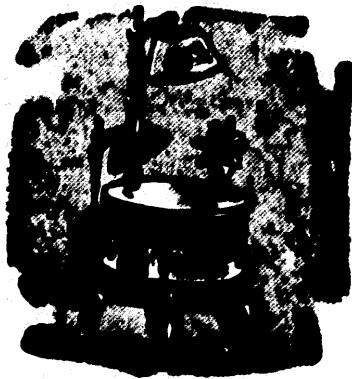
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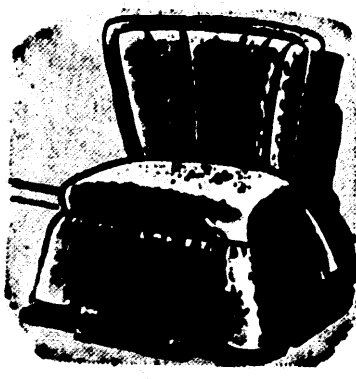
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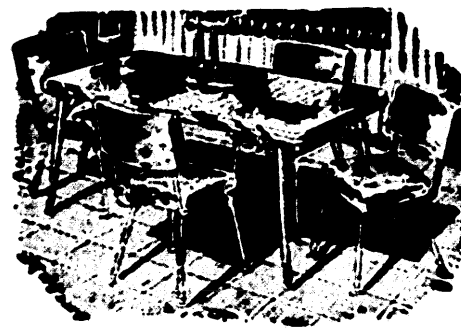
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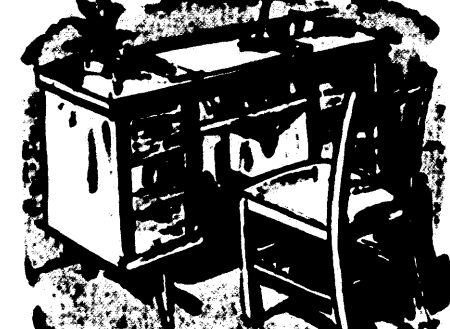
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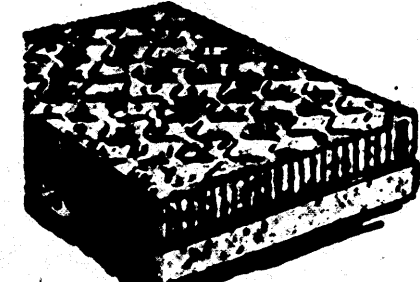
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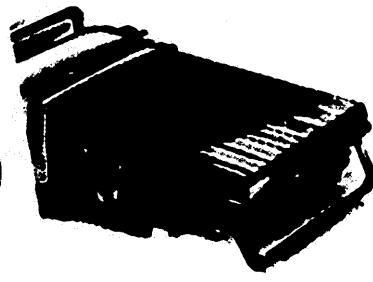


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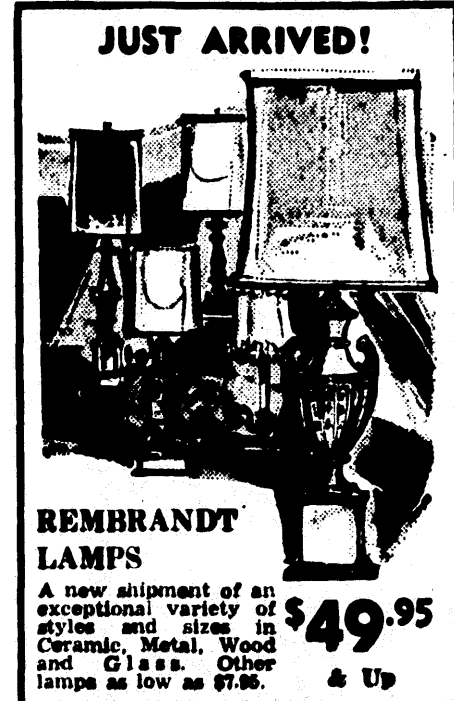
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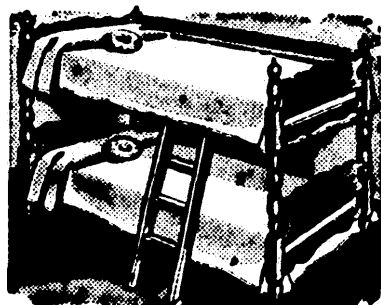
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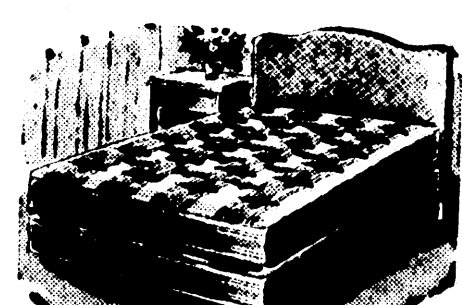
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'Dear Officers' Youngsters Give Escanaba Police Xmas Greetings

Officers of the Escanaba Police Department have some fun mail posted on their bulletin board these days — letters from second graders of St. Thomas School, which the men read and re-read and show to visitors.

The letters are Christmas greetings which the children

addressed to the "Dear Officers."

Police Chief Joseph Corcoran, replying to Sister Joseph Catherine, O. P., the children's teacher, wrote that it is "a great pleasure to receive the Christmas greetings from the children. Very seldom in our profession do we receive letters of this kind."

A sampling of the letters indicates the regard in which the police are held by the children:

"Dear Officers: I hope you will take care of our people and the animals and I hope you take care of the bank," wrote one youngster who may have started a Christmas savings account.

"Dear Officers: Thank you for saving our children and helping us across the street. I will pray so nothing happens to you."

Another child, no doubt with thoughts turned toward some beloved pet at home, wrote:

"Dear Officers: Thank you for saving all kittens and dogs and people."

The spectre of Detroit's race riots colored the thinking of another child.

"Dear Officers: Thank you for saving Detroit and saving our Country, Merry Christmas!"

With direct sincerity, another second grader wrote:

"Dear Officers: I hope you will find lost children."

And to put an all-inclusive cap on the correspondence, another youngster printed out neatly:

"Dear Officers: Thank you for saving our city from bad things."

The letters are posted on the police bulletin board, right up there "along with our most important notices," Chief Corcoran reported to the teacher.

Hyde Club Yule Party

The Hyde Kings and Queens 4-H club will entertain their parents Wednesday evening rather than Thursday as previously planned. The Christmas party will begin at 7 p. m. at the Ford River Township hall.

Members will bring prize packages, cookies and their exchange gifts. Games will be played and refreshments served.

Chamber Refers Time Questions To Committees

The Board of Directors of the Escanaba Chamber of Commerce referred the time issue to the Civic, State and National Affairs for study and recommendation at its meeting Monday afternoon at the Chamber building.

H. H. Dubbledge, chairman of the Civic Affairs, John McCarthy, chairman of the State Affairs, and Thomas Straebel, chairman of the National Affairs Committee, will meet with their committees to make a recommendation to the Board.

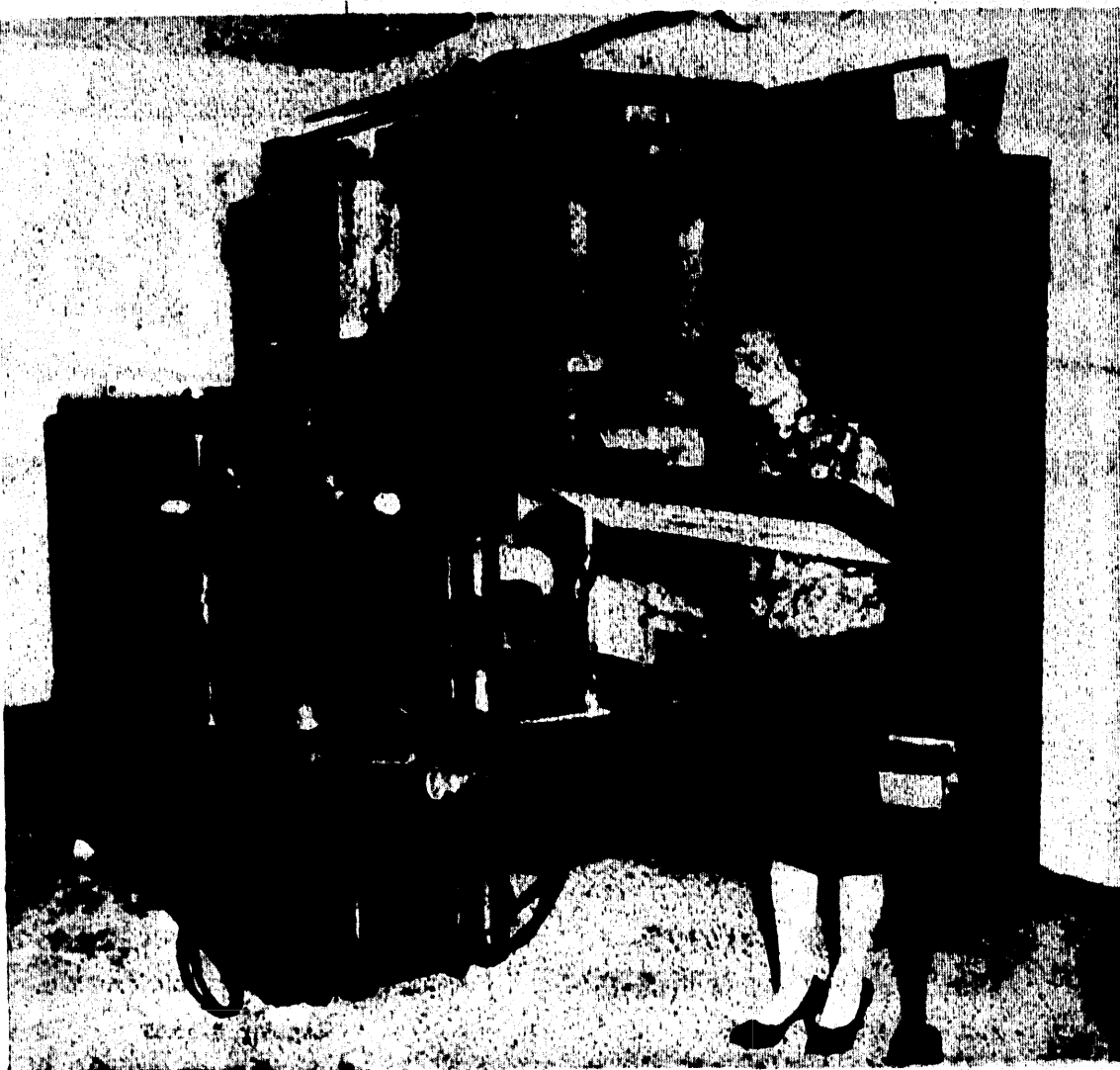
Chamber manager Walter Lewke reported that the Transportation Committee has selected a study of the Memory Lane road conditions as the major project for the year.

Other study areas under consideration are advertising on the reverse side of the city map distributed by the Chamber so that it could be distributed more widely; investigate a directory of transportation services, freight and passenger, with description of services by each carrier, and the US-2 east-west highway.

The Industrial Committee will hold its organization meeting Thursday noon at the Sherman Hotel.

Lewke reported that the chamber had completed a survey of nursing homes in 15 Upper Peninsula counties and in five adjacent Wisconsin counties. The information had been turned over to the Civic Affairs Committee for further study.

The Board accepted the following members: J&R Radio and TV, Inc., assigned to Richard Stuchman; Jaeger Bros., assigned to John Jaeger; and Art Goulet Real Estate, assigned to William DeHaan.



A NEW PHOTOSTAT machine for the County Clerk and Register of Deeds offices has been installed in the Delta County building. Purchase of the machine, which is about a third of the size of the former unit, was approved by the Board of Supervisors in October from Xerox Corp., at a total price of \$12,300. Mrs. Clyde (Veronic) Paesky of the Register of Deeds office is shown examining the photostat. (Daily Press photo)

Two Pay Fines On Conservation Law Conviction

Two Delta County men have each paid fines of \$50 and \$13.65 court costs after being found guilty of transporting and possessing a loaded rifle in an automobile.

John Hardwick, Brampton, and Stanley Lofquist, Rte. 1, Rapid River, were convicted in a trial before Justice Ross Davis of Gladstone.

Conservation officers James Walker of Gladstone testified he was on patrol Dec. 1 with officer Charles Bomaster when they saw some people using a spotlight. On stopping an automobile, Walker said they discovered the loaded rifle in the trunk of the car.

Hardwick and Lofquist were arrested about 9:30 p. m. on County Rd. 434 in Baldwin Township. They were represented by attorney Nino Green of Gladstone. Prosecutor was James Chapekis.

Giraffes have eyes which allow them to see behind, in front and to the side without turning their heads.

M-35 Speed Limit Set In Gladstone

LANSING — A speed control zone on M-35 in the Delta County community of Gladstone was announced today by the State Highway Commission.

A study by Highway Commission and State Police officials and the Chief of the Gladstone Police showed that residential development and increased traffic on M-35 (4th Ave.) in Gladstone required the posting of speed limits.

A joint order, signed by Acting State Highway Director Henrik E. Stafseth and State Police Director Fredrick E. Davis establishes a 35 MPH speed limit from the intersection of U.S. 2 to 17th St. and a limit of 45 MPH from 17th St. to 800 feet west of Lowrie Ave.

The order will be enforced as soon as the new speed limit signs are posted.

Acting Police Chief James Norick said the area previously had had speed restrictions, but these were dropped by the State when the highway was reconstructed in the area.

Our word "music" is taken from the name for the daughters of Zeus, the Muses, who governed beauty and harmony.

C&H To Harvest Algoma RR Timber

The Algoma Central Railway at Sault Ste. Marie, Ontario announces that it has signed a 25-year agreement with Calumet & Hecla (Canadian) Ltd., a subsidiary of Calumet & Hecla, Inc., with headquarters in Evanston, Ill., under which the metals, mining and timber firm will harvest timber from 650 square miles of railway lands north of the Canadian Sault.

The area of virgin forest to be logged is one known to many Upper Michigan sports

fishermen for its fine fishing and its natural beauty.

The Goodman Division of C&H, the corporation's woodlands and wood industry organization, has its headquarters in Escanaba and owns and harvests 475 square miles of timberland in Northern Michigan and Wisconsin, with manufacturing facilities at Ahmeek in the U.P. and at Goodman and Mellen, Wis., and in Canada.

Calumet & Hecla (Canadian) owns Pick Timber, Ltd., which has done some limited harvesting of Algoma Central Railway timber in Ontario under a short-term agreement, but the area to be logged is substantially virgin timber and runs heavily to yellow birch, a most valuable northern hardwood which is prized for blonde veneers. The stand is one of the largest blocks of old growth forest, outside crown lands, in Ontario.

The announcement of the 25-year agreement on harvest of the railroad's timber was made jointly by L. C. Waugh, president of the railway, and C. C. Jung, chairman of Calumet & Hecla, and Paul W. Robson, chairman of the Canadian subsidiary of C & H.

The agreement includes pulpwoods, softwoods and hardwood. Logging operations covering 18 townships will be conducted by C&H (Canadian)'s subsidiary, Pick Timber, Ltd., and the sawlogs will be processed at Sault Ste. Marie, Ontario by a subsidiary of Pick, Shay Veneer, Ltd., which has a sawmill at the Sault. Veneer grade hardwood logs will be converted into veneers.

The pulpwood is to be marketed in Canada.

The agreement requires cutting operations at a sustained yield level for major species and will result in a substantially greater volume of production and of Canadian employment.

Calumet & Hecla's Goodman Division was one of the first to manage hardwood forests scientifically for selective cutting and sustained yield. The Division is required by the agreement to prepare and conduct a long term forest management plan for the Algoma Central timberlands. A. C. Boudet of Escanaba is manager of the Goodman Division.

Arthur Dubord Taken By Death

Arthur L. Dubord, 67, of 1820 N. 8th Ave. died at 2 p. m. Monday at Bellin Memorial Hospital in Green Bay following an illness of three months.

He was born Feb. 12, 1900 in Escanaba and had resided in Danforth and Escanaba all of his life. He was a member of St. Thomas Church and the Brotherhood of Railroad Tie Handlers Union.

Mr. Dubord was employed at the Chicago & North Western Railway tie plant, retiring in 1955. His wife, the former Anna Pechl died Aug. 26, 1965.

He is survived by one son, Paul of Escanaba; three sisters, Miss Mary Dubord of Daggett, Mrs. John (Edna) Pepin and Mrs. Ernest (Eva) Benok, of Escanaba; two brothers, Emil of Danforth and Bert of Gladstone and two grandchildren.

Friends may call at the Aljo Funeral Home from 3 to 9:30 p. m. Wednesday and parish prayers will be recited at 8 p. m. Funeral services will be conducted at 10 a. m. Thursday at St. Thomas Church with Rev. Arnold Thompson officiating. Burial will be Gardens of Rest Cemetery.

Methodist Men To Hold Annual Holiday Supper

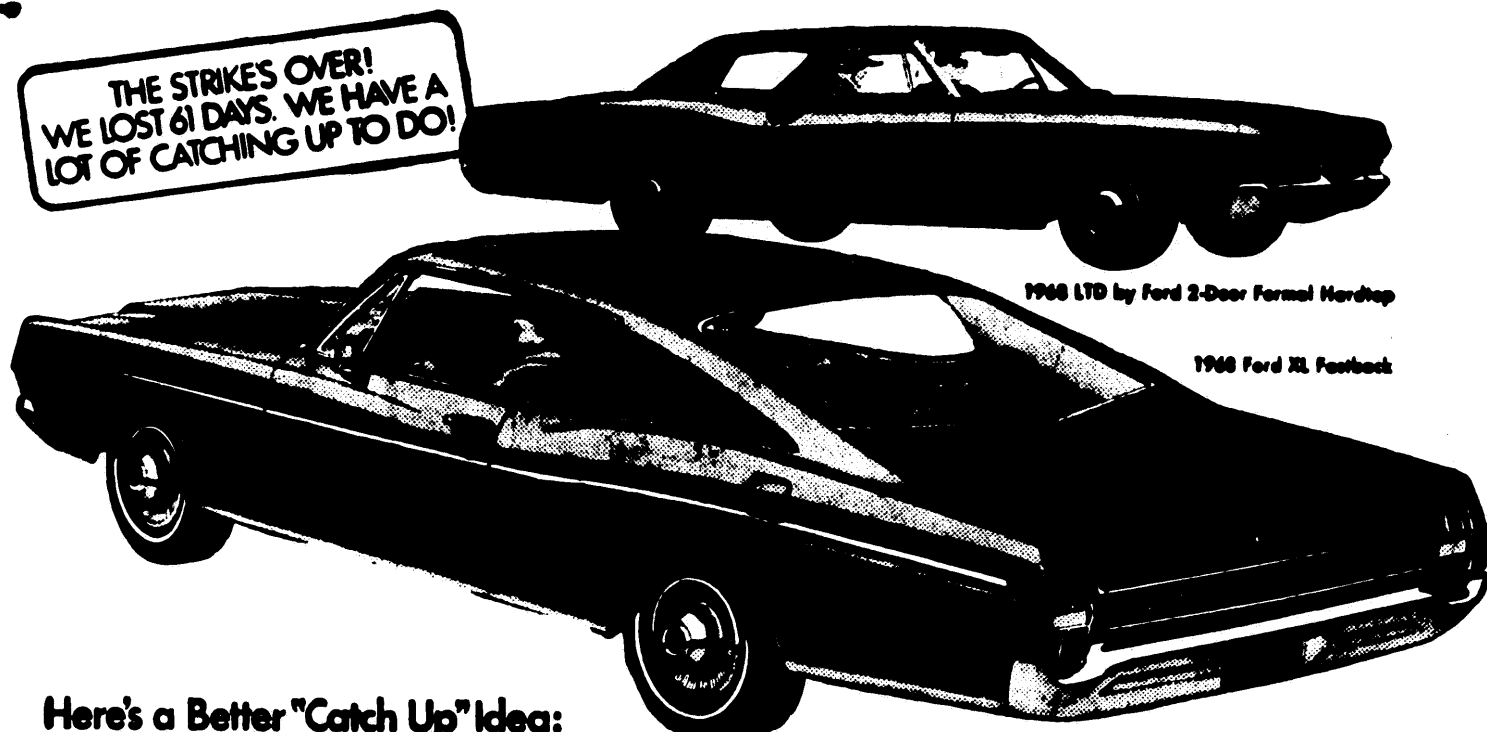
The Delta County Methodist Men's annual Christmas supper and ladies night will be held Monday, Dec. 18 at the First Methodist Church beginning at 6:30 p. m.

William Butt of the Bay de Noc Community College faculty will be the guest speaker for the evening and special music will be provided by a violin quartet. Christmas carols will also be sung.

Reservations may be made through Thursday, Dec. 14 by calling the Ness Glass Co., 786-5151.

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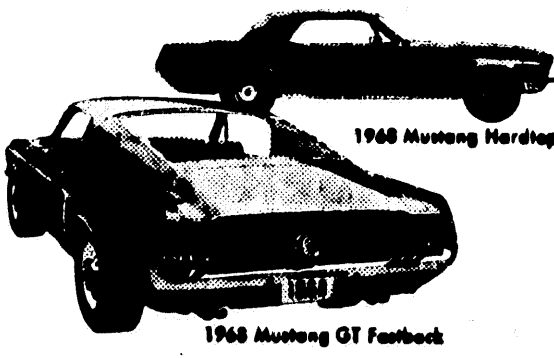
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Escanaba District Deer Kill Drops

The impression of conservation officers is that the Escanaba District deer hunt was less successful than a year ago and that it had fewer hunters. The district includes Delta and Marquette counties and the west half of Alger.

The hunt in the entire U.P. region was off, too, but not as much as in the Escanaba District because the western U.P. districts had good kills after a better winter than that in the Escanaba District. For the U.P. the kill is estimated by the

Conservation Department to have been down 5 per cent and the number of hunters down 21 per cent. The estimates are based on examination of deer (8,000 were examined in the state) and checks on hunters at the Mack-

inac Bridge, at Gwinn and elsewhere, and interviewing conservation, State Police and Forest Service officers. Fear At Arnold "We think the district kill was down, but we doubt that it was down a great deal from

1966," said Joseph Vogt, biologist. "Lower Peninsula hunters were gone from the district after the first week, hunting conditions were good throughout the season with snow covering most of the range. But deer did not move much ex-

cept at night. "The kill was poor, as predicted, in the Northern, Arnold, Watson district where there were heavy losses last spring. Bucks Kill "Year and a half year old bucks killed in the U.P. were

44 per cent of the kill compared with 25 per cent in 1966, and in the Northern Lower Peninsula 70 per cent compared with 64. In the Escanaba district we doubt that we had the state average increase in year and a half old bucks killed. Our small sample indicates a smaller percentage, but some recovery from last year. "In the western U.P. antlers

were bigger and had more points, with a beam diameter of 16.7 millimeters compared with 16.2 last year for the U.P. on year and a half year olds, and 3.1 points compared with 3.0 points. This was also true in the Northern Lower Peninsula." Giant squid can attain a length of 55 feet and a weight of 1,000 pounds.

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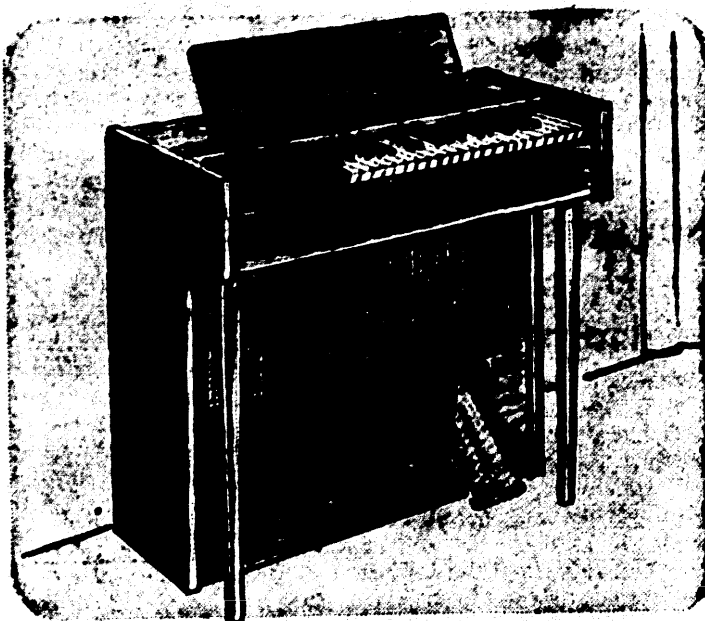


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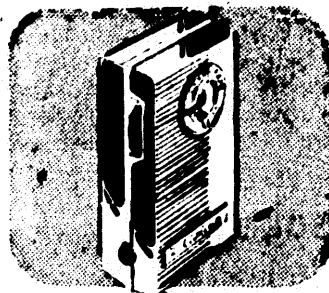
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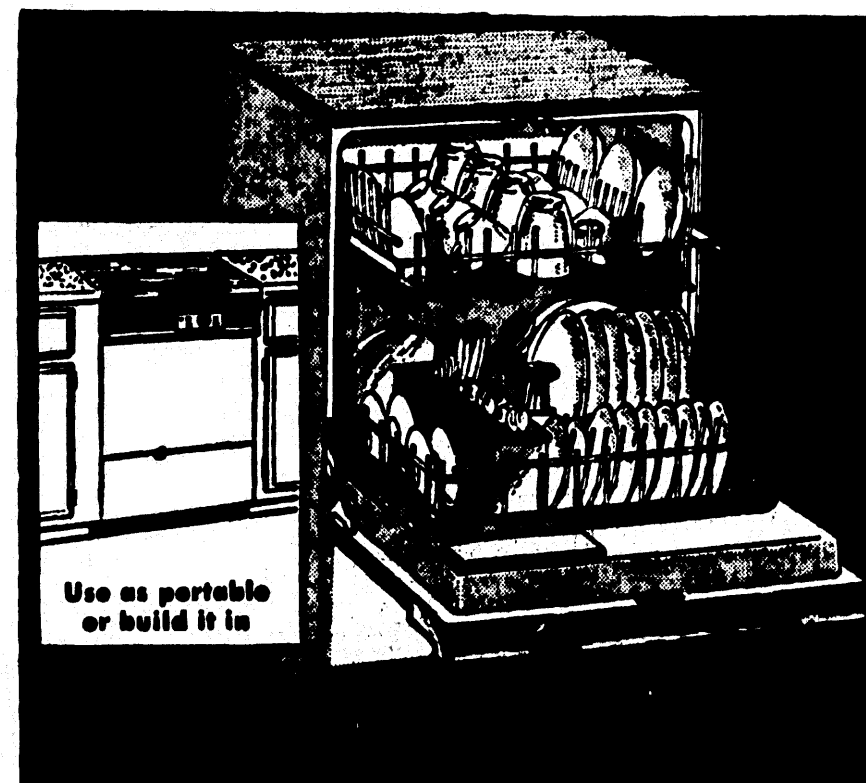
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Tax Bills Go Out:

Valuations Up,
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Believe it or not, you are paying less county and school taxes in the City of Escanaba this year than you did in 1966.

True, the valuations on taxable property in Escanaba have gone up to the state equalized figure as required by state law—but the tax rate is down in total and therefore there is a reduction in your total tax bill as compared to a year ago.

City Assessor Charles Schmidt, for the purpose of explanation, drew these examples:

In 1966 the owner of a home in Escanaba that was assessed for \$10,000 paid \$32.80 per \$1,000 assessed valuation or a total of \$328 in county and school taxes.

This year, the same home in Escanaba is assessed at \$11,400 (increased to the state equalized value) and on this valuation the rate is \$27.38 per \$1,000—for a total of \$312.13 or \$15.87 less than last year.

The reduction in rate is largely due to the action of the Delta County Board of Super-

visors in not levying a mill because it is not needed to finance county government.

"So everyone's tax bill for county and school purposes is decreased by \$1.39 per \$1,000 based on the state equalized valuation. We are actually paying less taxes than we did last year," said Schmidt.

In Escanaba city, 5,200 tax bills are being distributed for the collection of county and school taxes, and there may be misunderstanding because of the boost in valuation by 14 per cent to the state equalized figure, which is 50 per cent of the market value, to comply with state law.

The county-school tax bills show the purposes for which each item is levied to make up the total of \$27.38 per \$1,000 valuation:

County—\$6.20, School—\$7.20, Intermediate School District—10 cents, extra voted Intermediate School District—50 cents, Bay de Noc Community College—\$1, School Debt—\$4.88, extra voted school operation—\$7.50.

The county and school taxes may be paid on or before Jan. 10 without a 4 per cent penalty. After Feb. 28 the taxes are payable at the Delta County treasurer's office with a 4 per cent penalty and one-half of 1 per cent interest per month.

Marquette Man
Denies Murder

WELLAND, Ont. (AP)—Trial of a Michigan man charged with the murder of a Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., man in 1964 opened here Monday.

Robert William Dale, 42, of Marquette, Mich., pleaded innocent to the murder of William Francis Charters, 26, whose partly decomposed body was found last June 23 in bushes near a road in the Chippewa area.

Charters' wife testified he had left their home June 15, 1964, for a week's vacation.

Crown Prosecutor Herbert Langdon sought an adjournment because a "vital" witness, Mary Fairbanks, of Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., refused to attend voluntarily. Justice W. A. Donohue denied the request.

In his opening remarks, Langdon said Charters' body bore no wounds and the cause of death had not been determined. It was identified through fingerprints.

Events

Legion Auxiliary
The regular meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary, Unit 115 was held Wednesday night with Mary Kallman presiding.

Members of the Auxiliary who will work at the V. A. Hospital at Iron Mountain on Dec. 13 are Mrs. Vera Aiken, Mrs. Mary Thompson, Mrs. Henry Mroczkowski, and Mrs. Mary Kallman.

The annual Christmas party for the children of the members will be held Sunday afternoon, Dec. 17, at the Flat Rock Hall.

New York Stocks

NEW YORK (AP)—Following is a sectioned list of stock transactions on the New York Stock Exchange at midday with net change from previous close.

Am Can	49 1/2 D 1/4
Am Mot	13 D 1/2
Am Tel & Tel	49 1/2 U 1/4
Armour	33 1/4 D 1/4
Beth Steel	31 1/4 D 1/4
Calum H	39 U 1/4
Ches & Ohio	62 1/2 U 1/4
Chrysler	56 U 1/4
Cities Svc	47 1/2 U 1/4
Consumer Pw	40 1/2 U 1/4
Con Can	50 1/2 U 1/4
Det Edis	26 1/4 D 1/4
Dow Chem	87 1/2 D 1/4
du Pont	145 1/4 D 1/4
East Kod	53 1/2 D 1/4
Ford Mot	66 D 1/4
Gen Fds	83 D 1/4
Gen Motors	42 1/2 U 1/4
Gen Tel & Tel	32 D 1/4
Gerber Prod	61 U 1/4
Gillette	66 1/2 U 1/4
Goodrich	48 1/2 U 1/4
Goodyear	31 1/2 U 1/4
Inland Stl	27 1/2 D 1/4
Interlake S	61 1/2 U 1/4
Int Bus Mch	115 1/2 D 1/4
Int Nick	118 1/2 D 1/4
Int Tel & Tel	53 D 1/4
John Man	56 1/2 D 1/4
Kimb Ck	48 1/2 D 1/4
LOF Glass	70 1/4 D 1/4
Ligg & My	37 1/4 D 1/4
Mead Corp	22 U 1/4
Mont Ward	41 1/4 D 1/4
Nat Gypsum	76 1/4 D 1/4
NY Central	61 1/4 D 1/4
Penney, JC	60 1/4 D 1/4
Pfizer	69 1/4 D 1/4
RCA	54 1/4 D 1/4
Repub Stl	41 1/4 D 1/4
Sears Roeb	37 1/4 D 1/4
Std Brand	33 1/4 D 1/4
Std Oil Ind	53 1/2 D 1/4
Std Oil Nj	63 1/2 U 1/4
Stauf Ch	44 1/4 D 1/4
Un Carbide	46 1/2 D 1/4
US Steel	40 1/2 D 1/4
Wa Un Tel	35 1/2 D 1/4
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WILLIAM E. EINWACHTER, 53, smoking cigar, is shown as he was booked for investigation in the fatal shooting of Patrolman Gary Dale McCullen, 21, right. Three Saginaw

city policemen were shot in two armed robberies in taverns (AP Photos)

Vote \$4.16 Billion For
War Against Poverty

WASHINGTON (AP)—Anti-poverty boss Sargent Shriver has congressional authorization to spend \$4.16 billion over two years—but his agency may wind up with far less money.

The bill sent Monday to the White House represents the most money ever authorized for the Office of Economic Opportunity, which Shriver heads, and marks the first time Congress has extended the program for more than one year.

But just after House passage of the bill, a House Appropriations subcommittee recommended that only \$1.612 billion be provided to foot the anti-poverty bill in the first year, compared with the \$1.98 billion authorized.

Another \$2.18 billion was authorized for fiscal 1968 but because Congress only appropriates on an annual basis, the question of how much money actually will be available for the second year isn't at issue now.

The full Appropriations Com-

mittee was expected to uphold the subcommittee cut at a meeting today. The House appeared likely to go along with it later in the day.

The bill includes a controversial provision giving local public officials control of the OEO's Community Action programs.

Opponents of the move say it will breed vote-buying and patronage in city halls, and Shriver has pledged to keep close watch on results of the change.

Supporters of the anti-poverty program planned their hopes for more money on the Senate, where it has had a more sympathetic reception. Should the Senate approve full financing of \$1.98 billion, the outcome could be a compromise of about \$1.78 billion.

That's the minimum amount Shriver said would be needed to keep the program at its present level.

The authorization measure cleared the House on a 246-149 vote. Listed for it were 183 Democrats and 65 Republicans. Opposing it were 51 Democrats and 98 Republicans. The Senate passed it last Friday.

Getting the anti-poverty authorization bill to the President removed a big obstacle in the path of planned adjournment of Congress late this week.

Dow Protesters
Reinstated By
Illinois U Senate

CHAMPAIGN, Ill. (AP)—Eight University of Illinois students dismissed as a result of the Oct. 25 protest against the presence of Dow Chemical Co. recruiters on campus were reinstated Monday.

The Senate Committee on Student Discipline, made up of 12 academic deans, dismissed and vacated the charges against one student and readmitted the other seven on conduct probation.

The Senate committee said dismissal was too harsh a punishment in view of the circumstances. They agreed with an attorney representing the students that the protest was non-violent.

Rapid River

Meeting Canceled
St. Charles Borromeo Altar and Rosary Society Thursday, Dec. 14 meeting has been canceled. The cancellation was due to the Rapid River School Christmas program on Thursday. The next meeting will be in January.

Nativity Scene
The Rapid River C.T.A. of Rapid River St. Charles Borromeo Church will display a nativity scene for the Christmas season outside the church parish hall in Rapid River. The young people will work on the display at their regular meeting Wednesday, Dec. 13.

Tree Decorating
The Youth Fellowship of Rapid River Congregational Church will meet at the church Friday Dec. 15, 7 p.m. for a Christmas tree decorating party. The Fellowship members will decorate two trees, one for the church and one for the Sunday School rooms.

Advent Service
The second midweek Advent service will be held Wednesday, Dec. 13, 8 p.m. at Rapid River Calvary Lutheran Church. The service will include quiet meditation, prayer, hymn singing, and messages from God's word. Pastor George Olson will conduct the service. The public is welcome.

Practice Wednesday
Rapid River Congregational Sunday School will hold a practice for its Christmas program, Wednesday, Dec. 13, following school hours at the church. The program will be presented Sunday, Dec. 17, 7:30 p.m. Mrs. Eli Constantino is program director, assisted by Mrs. Harvey Deneau, Mrs. George Wilbee, Mrs. Pete Adams, and Linda Jo Deneau.

Scholarship Program
Five Rapid River High School seniors will be interviewed for N.M.U. scholarship program, Saturday, Dec. 16, at Northern Michigan University, Marquette. The interviews will begin at 9:45 a.m. The Rapid River students will join seniors from other U. P. high schools for lunch at the University Center. The five from Rapid River are: Allan Chase, Lynn LaBumard, Beverly Kaukola, Tom Safford and Helen Wauk. The interview date was arranged by Rapid River guidance counselor, Philip C. Meili.

C.C.D. Christmas Party
The C.C.D. of Rapid River St. Charles Borromeo Church will have a Christmas party and program during usual class meeting dates, Dec. 18, 19, 20. Children's parents are invited.

Nancy Linjala
Returns From
Convention Trip

Nancy Linjala of the West Rock 4-H Club returned home Sunday from her trip to the N.H.J.A. convention in New York City. She left Escanaba by plane on Dec. 1, joined the other 40 Michigan delegates in Lansing Saturday, traveling with the Michigan State University bus. Saturday night was spent in Gettysburg.

Upon arriving at the Hotel New Yorker Sunday evening, everyone was able to get acquainted with delegates from other states by attending the Get-to-Gether party. Monday and Thursday were sightseeing days.

On Tuesday, Nancy gave her demonstration on "Secrets of a Tossed Green Salad." There were 17 contestants in the demonstration group on use of horticulture products. Other girls from the Upper Peninsula attending were Sally Walcutt and Karen Anderson of Menominee. They had a team demonstration on "Vegetative Propagation."

Wednesday the Michigan delegates went to a Chinese Restaurant for the State dinner. Nancy also was able to pay her respects to Cardinal Spellman at the St. Patrick's Cathedral.

Thursday the convention concluded with the banquet and awards dinner. The Michigan delegates started home at 10:30 that night, arriving back in Michigan Friday afternoon.

Nancy visited with her sister, Mrs. Diane Schau in Escanaba Saturday and returned to Escanaba by plane on Sunday.

Fayette

Christmas Party
The Altar society of Fayette sponsored a Christmas party at the parish hall, Sunday evening, Dec. 10. Lunch was furnished by the altar society. A social evening was enjoyed by all.

Jack LaSalle has returned to studies at NMU after spending the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Freiberg.

The Birthday Club will meet at the Ray Allen farm Thursday evening Dec. 14, weather permitting.

William Allen of Standish and Clifford Hitchcock of Flint have returned to their homes after a week of visiting and rabbit hunting at the Ray Allen farm.

New City Clerk

WYOMING (AP)—William Van Houten, 42, a car salesman at nearby Hudsonville, Monday was appointed as Wyoming city clerk to succeed Edward Van Solkema who retires Dec. 31. Van Solkema, 66, had been clerk of the city since its incorporation in 1960.

Hospital

Mrs. Bette J. Simons of 1204 S. 14th St. has been transferred to the Wood Hospital, West Allis, Wis., from the V. A. Hospital at Iron Mountain for further examination before undergoing surgery.

Danzer Leaving
Boy Scout Post

A Red Buck District scouters dinner and program at the Flat Rock School Thursday evening will honor and say farewell to Warren Danzer of Escanaba, district Boy Scout executive for the three county district for the past three years.

He is leaving to accept a promotion to the office of executive of the Three Rivers Council at Logansport, Ill.

During the years he has served Schoolcraft, Delta and North Menominee counties in the Red Buck District they have added six new units of cub packs, scout troops and explorer posts to make a total of 36 units and to bring scouting membership in the district to a total of more than 1,000 youths. This is a growth over 1966 of 15 per cent in units.

Danzer is a native of East St. Louis, Ill., and has been a professional worker in scouting for 8 years. He came to Escanaba from Decatur, Ill., and has been carrying the responsibilities not only of the Red Buck District, but also of the Sault District, including Chippewa, Mackinac and Luce counties, recently because it has lacked an executive.



Warren Danzer

Deeper Detroit
Ship-Way Asked

DETROIT (AP)—Wayne County officials say they are gathering material to show the need for an extension of the deep water channel in the Detroit River.

Local officials must convince the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers that the economic benefits would outweigh the tremendous costs for the 12.9 mile extension.

The proposed area extends from Trenton south to Rockwood. It would open the southern end of Wayne County Lake trade.

McClouth Steel Co. reportedly is committed to building a plant for 3,000 workers if the present waterway could provide service for larger ships. Feelers are going out to other companies.

Milwaukee Couple
Win Settlement
In Traffic Suit

MILWAUKEE — A \$207,000 settlement was reached in Federal Court of Milwaukee in a traffic accident suit brought by a Milwaukee couple against an Ishpeming man, two insurance companies and a car rental agency.

Howard Raasch, Milwaukee, claimed injuries received in the 1963 crash prevented him from working as a plumber. His wife said jaw and face injuries prevented her from chewing food.

The couple sued Randolph Dulany, Ishpeming, who had hired a man to drive a auto from Chicago to the Michigan city. The other man was killed in the accident. Avia, and Liberty Mutual and Travelers indemnity insurance companies were also named in the suit.

A jury trial had started before U.S. District Judge John Reynolds when the settlement was reached.

Rock

Ladies Aid Meeting
Rock Ladies Aid members held their Christmas meeting December 6 at the Rock Bible Chapel, with Mrs. Jennie Sacco, chairman. All members contributed towards the Christmas luncheon. Table and room decorations were in the Christmas motif. The Christmas gifts were sent to Miss Peggy Thomas.

Miss Madeline Rousseau and Miss Lois Vickers of the European Evangelistic Crusade in Europe and one to Miss Ruth Hunt, Sudan Interior Africa. Christmas hymns were sung and John Small gave the Scripture message. A fellowship hour followed.

The Rock Community Christmas tree was donated by Henry Jokela. It was set up on Dec. 10 by Francis Trombly, Les Maki, Clifford Carlson, Sulo Ruotsala, Martin Kaminen and Ray Lehto.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Maki recently attended the dedication of the 40 room medicare facility of Schoolcraft County in Manistique.

Mrs. Nick Bezzine is confined to her home with a broken leg she suffered in a fall on the ice recently.

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Stocks Mixed
In Early Trade

NEW YORK (AP)—The stock market advances and declines were about even in active trading early today.

The Dow Jones Average of 30 Industrials dropped 2.30 to 880.03 as some blue chips took losses. Steels, aircrafts, electronics, chemicals and tobacco were mostly lower.

Rubbers and nonferrous metals posted gains.

Homestake Mining, a gold producer which has been in demand since devaluation of the British pound, rose more than 3 points. Another 3-point gainer was Republic Corp.

Occidental Petroleum was actively traded and advanced more than 2 points.

In the first half hour of trading, the New York Stock Exchange ticker tape fell one minute behind in reporting floor transactions.

Brokers said continuing problems growing out of devaluation of the British pound may cause confusion and hesitation among investors for a while longer.

But they added there is a good chance that the traditional strength in the final weeks of the year will appear.

Newscaster Fast
To Help Hungry
At Halfway Point

PONTIAC (AP)—Newscaster Bill Beer of radio station WFOH in Pontiac today continued his Thanksgiving-to-Christmas fast to dramatize the plight of the world's hungry and needy people.

Beer, who passed the halfway point in his 32-day fast during the weekend, said he was feeling fine in spite of having taken only drinks of water since Nov. 23.

Public response to the fast has been "tremendous," Beer said. He said it appeared his fast was achieving its goal of reminding families to think of the poor in the holiday season.

Beer has pledged to give all the food he ordinarily would have eaten during the fast to a needy family.

Curtis

The Curtis Quilters Club met at the home of Mrs. Wanda Rossin recently.

Mrs. Alice Morrison left for St. Johns, Mich. where she will spend a few weeks visiting her daughter and family.

Hospital
Mrs. Rhoda Long and Catherine Sherbrook are patients at Helen Newberry Joy Hospital at Newberry.

Mrs. Agnes Hartwick is visiting her sister Mrs. Ethel Koshmider at Ypsilanti, and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Blade at Belleville.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank (Bud) Lowery of Belding and Mr. and Mrs. Duane Strouse and family of Lowell returned to their homes after visiting at the home of Mr. Lowery's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Lowery.

Mrs. Stanley Bowman of Epoufette and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Closs of St. Ignace were recent callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hartwick and family.

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Danforth

Birthday Party
Miss Agnes Mattson was the honored guest at a birthday party at her home on Tuesday afternoon. Cards were played with prizes awarded to Mrs. Felix Johnson, Mrs. Raymond LaMarche, Mrs. Arthur Monson. Mrs. Monson also received the guest award.

Hospital Auxiliary
Mrs. Harold Anderson was the hostess to the Danforth Soo-Hill unit of the Delta Memorial Hospital Auxiliary at her home on Wednesday. Lunch was served. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Arthur Hamnerberg on Jan. 3. A gift exchange will be made at this time.

Isabella
Hospital
Willie Gouin is hospitalized at the Veteran's Hospital in Iron Mountain.

Francis LeVigne is a patient at Schoolcraft Memorial Hospital.

William Nedeau has been dismissed from St. Francis Hospital and Leo Nedeau is still confined there. The brothers were hospitalized following an automobile accident at Powers recently.

Dinner Party
Mr. and Mrs. Richard McClintch entertained Sunday evening at a 5 p. m. dinner at their cabin on the Sturgeon River. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Sundin, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Sundin, Olive, Ann, Laurie and George McClintch.

Worship services Sunday at the Bethany Lutheran Church will be at 8:45 a. m.

Christmas vacation will start on Wednesday, Dec. 20 and school will resume on Wednesday, Jan. 3. (School will be dismissed at 11:30 a. m. on Wednesday, Dec. 20. No hot lunch will be served.)

SANTA and the PIGWIDGEN

By LUCRICE BEALE

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Synopsis: Claus uses the ring to change the donkey back into Tweeklebees, leaving only two weapons to fight the Pigwidgen. Then the elf falls into a snake nest.

CHAPTER TEN THE DAGGER

WHEN CLAUS saw the snakes preparing to strike Tweeklebees he knew what he had to do. He dug the magic mouthharp from his pocket. The elves had told him the sound of the harp would charm the fiercest foe. Would it work for a thousand snakes? wondered Claus.

Although he had never played such an instrument, he took a deep breath and blew with all his might on the harp.

The sweetest music he had ever heard filled the air. The snakes grew silent. Slowly they uncoiled. Their tongues were still. Their eyes grew dreamy.

Claus took his mouth from the harp and shouted, "Tweeklebees, come!" Then he filled his lungs with air again and blew desperately on the harp while the elf, freed of his hypnosis, scrambled up the log to safety.

As soon as Tweeklebees was out of the pit he ran. Claus stumbled after him still blowing furiously on the harp. They ran until they had no breath left either to run or blow. They fell into a snow bank and lay there gasping.

Presently Claus sat up. He threw away the harp. It was the third weapon and its magic would not work again. Claus



"I am done for," said the elf. "You must go on."

said not a word but Tweeklebees said miserably, "It's all my fault." Then he wailed. "But it wasn't because I lost my temper! I was only trying to be kind to the rabbit."

Claus nodded. "Ah, well," he said. "We still have one last weapon." He drew from his belt the dagger whose point had been dipped in a deadly poison. "When I meet the Pigwidgen I shall use this. Even if the dagger fails to kill, the poison will."

Tweeklebees took the dagger in his own hands and examined it. "The point seems

dull," he said critically. He pressed the point gently against the palm of his hand. "Ah," he said with satisfaction. "It is sharp enough." He handed back the dagger.

"Let us go," said Claus rising, "for surely we have wasted time enough."

But Tweeklebees did not stir. His face turned dreadfully pale. Sweat poured down his forehead. His whole body shook with fever.

"I cannot move," he grunted. The awful truth came to Claus. He opened Tweeklebees' hand. There lay a single drop of blood where the dagger had pressed against the palm.

"You are poisoned!" cried Claus. He cradled the trembling elf in his arms. "What shall we do? What shall we do?"

"Leave me," murmured Tweeklebees. "Never!"

"I have been nothing but trouble."

"It doesn't matter. You never meant harm."

"I am done for," growled the elf. "You must go on. There

In Service

Marine Capt. John C. Bissell, son of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Bissell, 520 Lake Shore Dr., Escanaba, is serving with Marine Air Base Squadron - 32, a unit of Marine Aircraft Group 32, at the Marine Air Station, Beaufort, S.C. His group is a major aviation element of the Second Marine Aircraft Wing, which provides air support for Fleet Marine Force, Atlantic units.

Airman Ralph F. Krause Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph F. Krause Sr. of Bark River has completed basic training at Amarillo AFB, Tex. He is now assigned as an administrative specialist with a unit of the Air Defense Command at Stewart AFB, N.Y. Airman Krause is a 1967 graduate of Escanaba High School.

Bellman Third Class Roger S. Heale, USN, son of Mrs. Marion Houle of 924 N. 18th St., Escanaba, has returned to the United States aboard the guided missile frigate USS Wainwright following a seven-month deployment with the U.S. Seventh Fleet in the Gulf of Tonkin. The Wainwright was responsible for the identification of all air traffic in and around the Tonkin Gulf and served as a mobile landing platform for search and rescue helicopters. Enroute to the United States the Wainwright visited Sydney, Australia; Wellington, New Zealand; and Peapack, Tahiti.

Seaman James Chriske, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Chriske of Rte. 1 Escanaba, has reported for duty at the U.S. Naval Station in Washington, D.C.

is no more time to lose." Claus would not leave. "There must be some way to save you. You are an elf. Tell me what you know!"

"There is a way," sighed Tweeklebees. "What is it? Tell me!"

"It," whispered Tweeklebees, faintly, "a stone should weep for me."

Tomorrow: The Door in the Wall.

Isabella

Mr. and Mrs. Ty Pieppo of Chicago, Ill. spent the weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Landri and family. Mr. and Mrs. Ted Sundin and son of Chicago and Mr. and Mrs. R. Sundling spent the weekend at their home in Isabella.

Mrs. Ted Sundin was hostess to the Bethany Lutheran Ladies Aid Thursday evening in the church parlors.

Mrs. Esther Bonitas is at her home at Fort Pierce, Fla. for winter.

Attend Premiere
Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Sundin, Mr. and Mrs. Burton Peterson of Isabella and Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Ellis of Chicago were guests of Dr. and Mrs. Kent Ellis of Lafayette, Ind. recently.

and attended the premiere showing of "Hello Dolly," starring Dorothy Lamour at the Purdue University Music Hall.

Hospital
Marty Olson is a patient at the Veterans' Hospital, Iron Mountain.

Farm Bureau
Mr. and Mrs. Ted Sundin were hosts to the Isabella Farm

Bureau at their home Saturday. The next meeting will be a Christmas party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Froggatt.

Donald Legault enroute to his base in Germany is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Wagner in Chicago. Mrs. Arvid Sundin and Mrs. Kenneth Peterson and son Scott spent Wednesday with Mrs. Al Asplund at Cunard.



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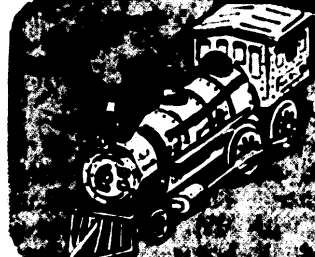
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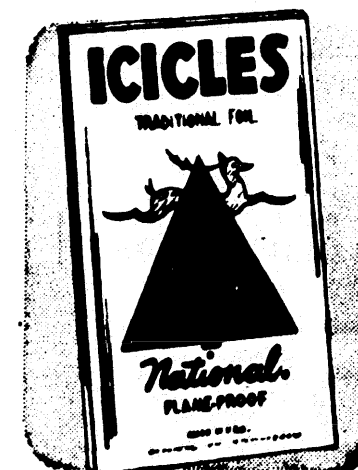


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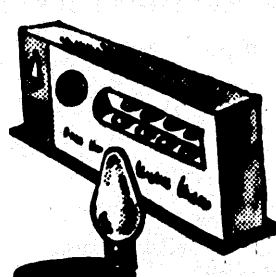
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Women's Activities



MEMBERS OF THE Silhouettes TOPS Club held their annual Christmas party Monday evening at the Dells Supper Club. Gifts were exchanged. Officers of the club are pictured above, from left, Mrs. Margaret Broman, vice-president; Mrs. Karen Mihalic, president; Mrs. Grace Monson, reporter; Mrs. Ginger Kositzky, secretary; and Mrs. Betty Denessen, treasurer. Not pictured is Mrs. Rosemary Schneider, weight recorder. (Daily Press Photo)

First Methodist Circle Dates Are Announced

The Circles of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist Church meeting dates have been announced.

The Melody Circle will meet at the church on Thursday, Dec. 14, at 2 p.m. with Mrs. R. J. Smith as hostess. Devotions will be led by Mrs. Frederic Welch with Mrs. Ray Salmon, program chairman.

The Faith Circle meets at the home of Mrs. Donald Ness, 2101 Lake Shore Drive on Thursday, Dec. 14, at 2 p.m. Mrs. John Nicholas will be in charge of devotions with Mrs. Donald Ness, program chairman.

Miriam-Abigail Circle is meeting Wednesday, Dec. 20, at 8 p.m. at the Edward Edick residence, 819 Lake Shore Drive, with Mrs. Clinton Dunathan as co-hostess. Mrs. John Hebert will lead the devotions. The members will have a cookie festival.

Delicious spread: cooked shrimp (ground) mixed with butter, mustard, ground mace and sherry, plus salt and pepper. Chill the mixture before serving.

Legend Of St. Lucia Symbol Of Christmas

The Swedish Christmas begins on St. Lucia Day, Dec. 13, and the festival symbolizes the changing of the darkness to light.

The legend of St. Lucia came to the people of the Northland from the people of southern Italy. Lucia was a beautiful maiden who lived in Syracuse, Sicily, about 300 A. D. How she became a Christian we do not know. Possibly it was through the witness of a nurse girl.

Even in childhood she prayed with burning words for the salvation of her childhood friends, in addition to bringing to Christ her parents and all who lived in the white marble palace which was her home.

When she was 17 years old and very beautiful she was betrothed and was to be married in the fall. During the summer her mother became very ill and Lucia prayed intensely for her life. She promised God to give her whole wedding dowry to the church if her mother would get well. Her prayers were answered but Lucia's betrothed became angry when he learned what she had done with the dowry.

During this time the Christians were suffering persecution and Lucia's fiance, consumed now by a fierce pagan hatred, betrayed her to soldiers who were persecuting Christians.

Legend has it that they tried to lead her off to prison but were unable to do so. They then tried to burn her at the stake but though the flames enveloped her, she was unharmed.

Finally her betrothed pierced her heart with his sword. Before her lips closed and the light in her eyes went out she was transfigured by such an intense inner light that the soldiers, the prefect and her betrothed fell prostrate as though struck by lightning.

And so Lucia, the bringer of light, died illumined by a heavenly glow. This was 304 A. D. during the persecution under Diocletian. Her remains were brought to Venice and rest in a marble coffin.

The legend was brought to the Scandinavian countries and the story of St. Lucia's faith and steadfast courage symbolized the return of light.

In the old Swedish legend, Lucia appeared sometime later on a winter night along the shores of Sweden's largest lake, Vanern. There she distributed food and clothing to the people who were starving because of a great famine, particularly in the provinces of Vastergotland, Varmland and Bohuslan.

Old people whispered that the Lucia bride clothed in white and crowned with light, so appeared each Dec. 13 between the hours of 3 and 4 in the morning. They declared they could see her moving across icy

Foreign Student Tells Of Life In Sweden

Family Life project members of Ensigners 4-H Club were treated to a visit by Ebba Bondesson, Swedish exchange student residing at the Robert Hupy home in Gladstone.

Mrs. Bondesson met with the young people Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Sundberg of Rapid River and told of family life in Sweden. Studying family life of another country is part of the 4-H project study.

Present at the meeting were project members, Kevin Hansen, Paul Grolesau, Maxine Constantino, Connie Lundin, Stanley Constantino, Gail Sundberg, James Lundberg, project leader, Mrs. Frank J. Lundberg, and parents, Mrs. Leo Grolesau, Mrs. El Constanstantino, Mrs. Herbert Lundin, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Sundberg. Lunch was served by hostess, Mrs. Sundberg.

St. Joseph's Home And School Holiday Program

The St. Joseph Home and School Association has prepared a Christmas program for the entire family to be presented Wednesday at 8:30 p. m. in the Bonifas Auditorium.

Films, "Frosty the Snowman," "Loopy de Loop," "Toy Trouble," "Mr. Magoo," and "The Littlest Angel" will be shown. Christmas carols will be sung by the students and St. Joseph's Band will play under the direction of Mr. Henderson.

Following the program a brief business meeting will be held in the school cafeteria.

Parish Party At St. Charles

The annual adult Christmas party for the parishioners of Rapid River St. Charles Borromeo Church will be held Sunday, Dec. 17, 8:30 p. m. at the church parish hall.

A potluck meal will be served and everyone attending is asked to bring a fifty cent gift for the gift exchange.

Party plans have been made by St. Charles Altar and Rosary Society, Mrs. Stanley Dominick, president. All adult parishioners are invited to the festive holiday party.

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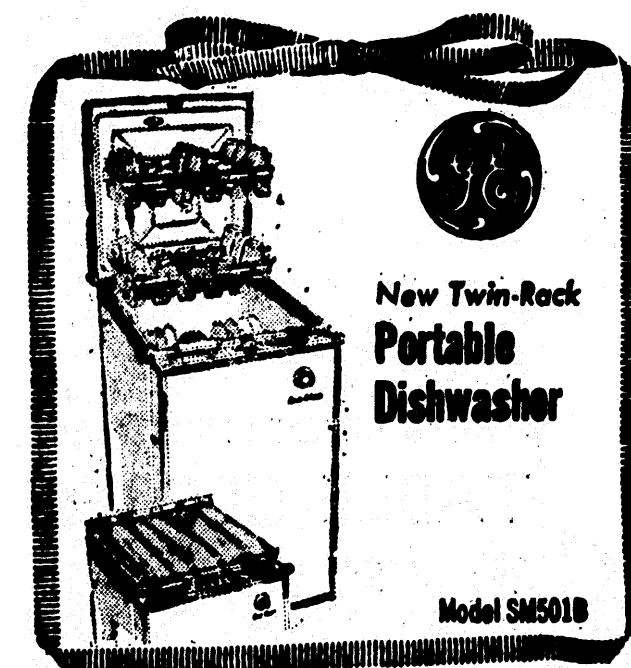


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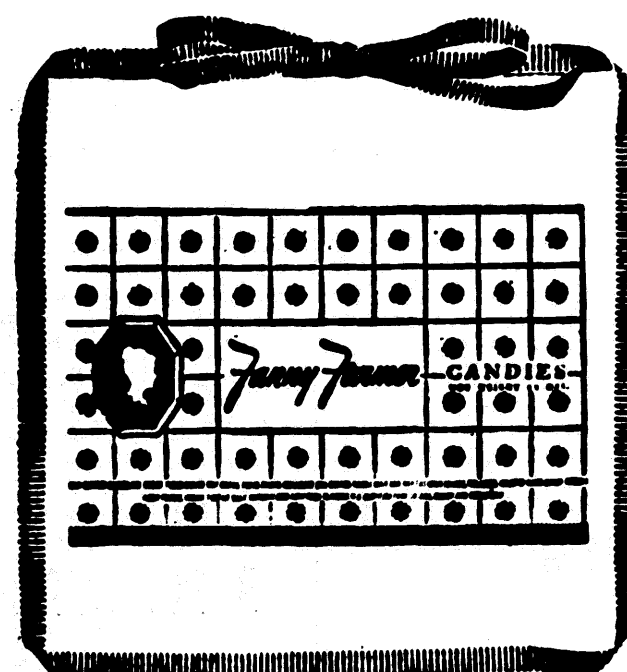


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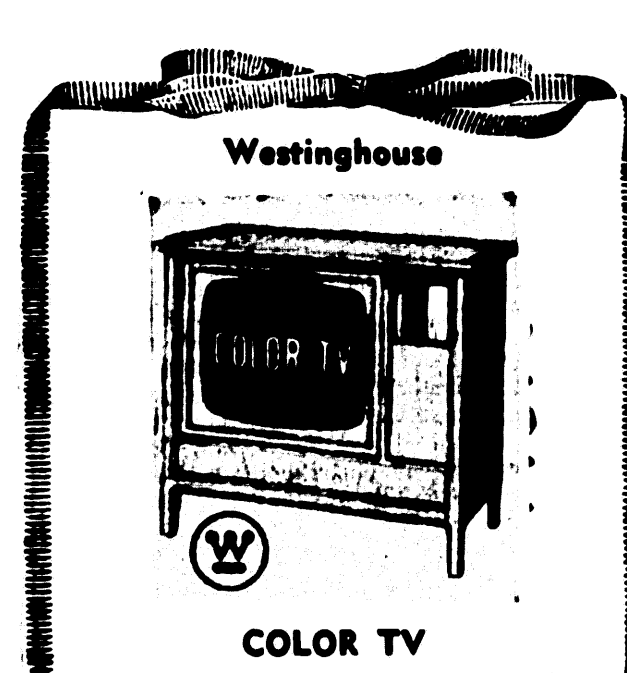


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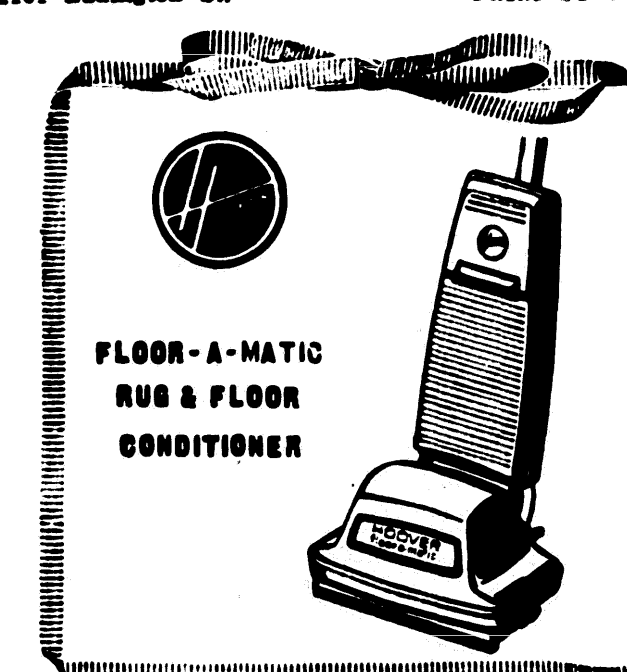
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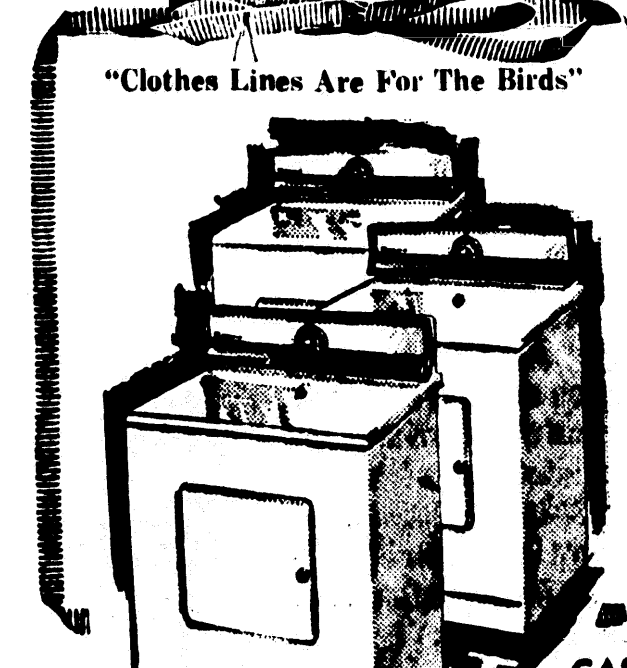
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Women's Activities



Holiday Program At Rapid River On Thursday

Rapid River Schools will present its annual Christmas program, Thursday, Dec. 14, 7:30 p. m. in the Rapid River High School gymnasium.

The program, entitled, "The Glory and The Joy of Christmas," will be directed by Philip C. Meli.

The program, divided in two parts, will begin with grades, kindergarten, first and second depicting the theme, "The Joy," with the singing of, "Rudolph, the Red Nose Reindeer."

The second part, "The Glory," will feature songs pertaining to the birth of Christ sung by the high school's Girls Glee Club and the third through sixth grades.

Klint Safford will be the program's narrator and piano accompanists are, Carolyn King, Cindy Vlau, Lorraine Jacobson and Linda Jo Deneau. The public is welcome.

Church Events

Immanuel Lutheran

Wednesday, Dec. 13, 3:30 p.m. - 9th grade confirmation; 5:15 p.m. - Junior Choir; 7 p.m. - Senior Choir; 7:45 p.m. - Advent service (Making Christmas Christian)

Central Methodist

Wednesday, Dec. 13, 9:30 a.m. - Women's study group; 4 p.m. - Junior Choir; 7 p.m. - Chancel Choir; 8:30 p.m. - Senior High MYF; 8 p.m. - Senior High MYF; 8:30 p.m. - Lois Circle meeting.

Salem Ev. Lutheran

Wednesday, Dec. 13, no children's catechism class; 7 p.m. - choir rehearsal.

First Methodist

Wednesday, Dec. 13, 4 p.m. - Junior Choir; 7 p.m. - Senior Choir and Junior MYF meeting; 8 p.m. - Senior MYF meeting.

First Presbyterian

Wednesday, Dec. 13, 7 p.m. - Senior High Fellowship; 8:15 p.m. - Circles 4 and 5.

Church School Program Set At Bark River

The Bark River Methodist Church School Christmas program will be presented Sunday, Dec. 17, at 4 p. m. in the church. The public is invited.

Participating will be: Tracy Fournier, Robbie, Kenny and Lenny Wickstrom, Danny Phillips, Scott Peterson, Brian Phillips, Harold Bergquist, Dawn and Dean Peterson, Kathy Harris, Debby Phillips, Todd Fournier and Debby Phillips.

Church School instructors are Miss Sandra Peterson, Mrs. Tony Pirlot, Mrs. Harold Bergquist, Stanley Peterson and Harold Bergquist. Mrs. Arthur Fournier is organist and Rev. Konstantin Wipp is the pastor.

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Events Christmas Party

The Wait Watchers TOPS Club will hold their Christmas party at 7 p.m. Wednesday at the Dells Supper Club. Members are to weigh-in at Joyce's between the hours of 3 and 5 p.m. Wednesday.

Gold Star Mothers
The Gold Star Mothers and Dads will hold their Christmas dinner party at 6:30 p. m. Thursday at the Sherman Hotel. There will be a gift exchange.

Bark River WSCS To Meet
The WSCS of the Bark River Methodist Church will hold a Christmas party for the choir at 8 p.m. Wednesday. A playlet and film strip, "For This Little Time," are scheduled. A potluck lunch will be served.



Mrs. Gilbert Bast II (Gordon Nelson Studio)

Carol DuBord Bride Of Gilbert Bast II

Miss Carol Jean DuBord became the bride of Gilbert Howard Bast II during a double ring ceremony performed Saturday, Nov. 25 at 12 noon at St. Ann's Church in Escanaba.

Hearing the solemn exchange of vows was the Rev. Stephen Mayrand. Gold vases filled with white mums and centered with red bows and velvet roses adorned the church altars.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John DuBord of 411 S. 9th and parents of the bridegroom are Dr. and Mrs. Gilbert H. Bast of 1015 1st Ave. S.

Silk Organza
The bride chose for her wedding a silk organza over taffeta gown styled with long tapered sleeves and a chapel train. A lace overlay trimmed with pearls detailed the bodice of the gown.

A pillbox headpiece with an overlay of lace and pearls held her veil of imported silk illusion and she carried a cascade of velvet roses with green ivy and ribbon trim atop a white satin covered Bible used at the wedding of Dr. and Mrs. Gilbert Bast. The pearl rosary entwined in the flowers was a gift of the bridegroom.

Maid of honor was Mary Ann Javurek and bridesmaids were Penny Angers and Jeanine Jay Bast, sister of the bridegroom.

Red Velvet
They wore berry red velvet floor length gowns fashioned with Empire waistlines and long sleeves.

The maid of honor wore a white fur pillbox and carried a matching white fur muff. The brides wore berry red velvet bow headpieces and carried white fur muffs with sprays of berry red roses.

Bestman for his brother was Jan Douglas Bast and groomsmen were Frederick Bast, brother of the bridegroom and Richard J. DuBord, brother of the bride. Seating the guests were Jerry Kapnick, brother-in-law of the bridegroom and Norbert Herioux, cousin of the bride.

Flower Girl
Kathy Provost was the flower girl and was dressed as a miniature bride. She carried a colonial bouquet of white mums centered with velvet roses.

Mrs. DuBord wore for her daughter's wedding, a three piece brown and beige suit with matching accessories. Mrs. Bast wore a green double knit ensemble with matching accessories. Both mothers wore pressed corages of velvet red roses.

Following a short honeymoon the newlyweds are now at home at 516 S. 12th St., Escanaba.

Rapid River

Board Meeting

The church board of Rapid River Congregational Church will meet tonight (Tuesday, Dec. 12) 7:30 p.m. in the church parish hall.

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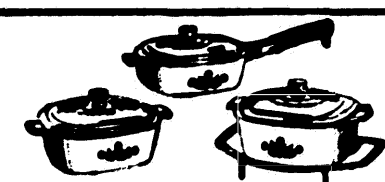
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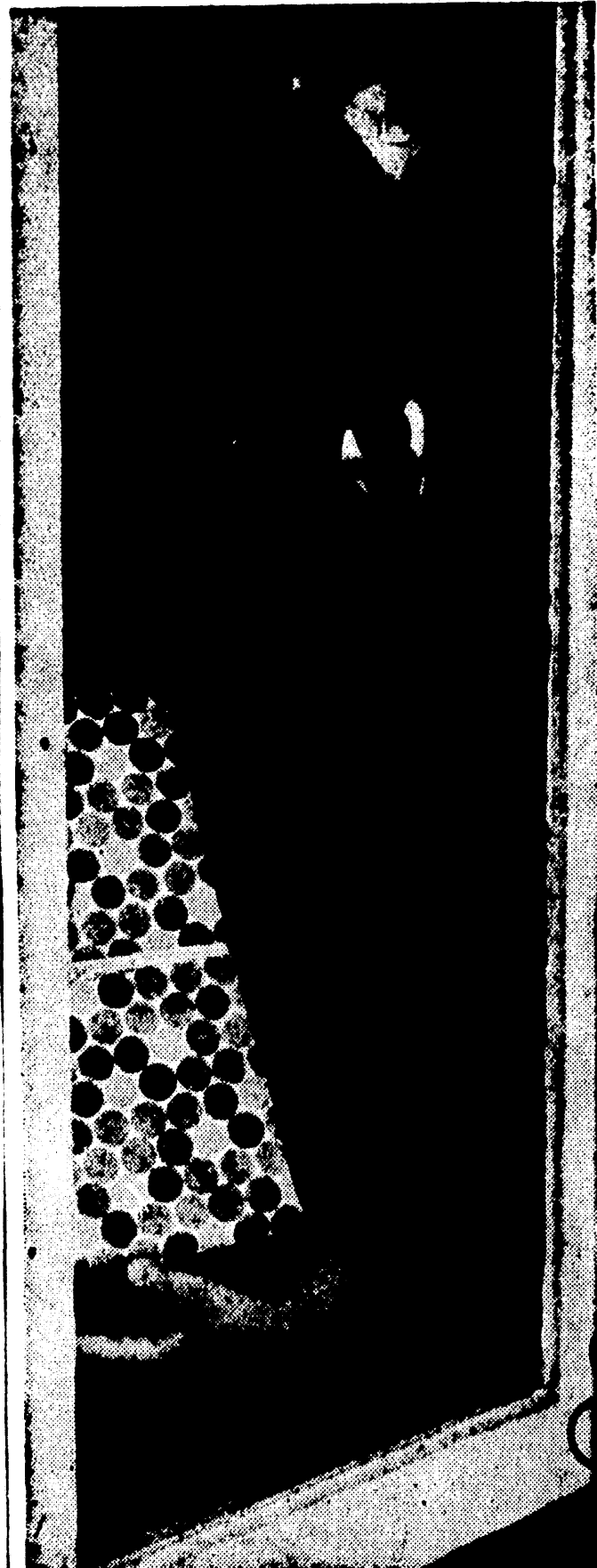
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GLADSTONE Commission OKs Project Payment

The City Commission Monday approved payment of \$29,116 to L. W. Brumm Construction Co. of Marquette for work in the Industrial Park.

The meeting was held in first floor offices of the City Hall due to damage done to the Council Room in a fire last week.

Robert Olson, city assessor and treasurer substituting for City Manager H. J. Henrikson who was in Chicago attending a meeting of the Public Housing Commission, said representatives of the Economic Development Administration and of the Commerce Dept. will be in Gladstone Wednesday to present the first government payment on the housing project.

In other business the Commission voted to increase the Christmas bonus to city employees from \$15 to \$25; to transfer the liquor license at the Lincoln House, 602 Superior Ave., from George Olafson to Gerald and Lois May Godfrey, subject to police approval, and to advertise for bids for city gasoline and fuel oil.

The next regular meeting of the Commission will be held at the City Hall Tuesday, Dec. 26, at 7:30 p.m.

Christmas Social Is On Wednesday

The Women's Missionary Society of Grace Baptist Church will hold its annual Christmas program and social at the church Wednesday at 7:30 p.m.

The Rev. James R. Swan, pastor of the Evangelical Covenant Church of Escanaba, will be the guest speaker. The program will include vocal solos by the Rev. Swan and Daryl Lindquist; a piano solo by Glenna Larson and vocal selections by the VanBroeklin girls. Mrs. Glen Larson will read the scripture and prayer and the program will open and close with group singing. Refreshments will be served by the social committee at the close of the program. All members and friends are invited.

Kentucky Gets GOP Governor

FRANKFORT, Ky. (AP) — As many as 40,000 persons are expected to pour into this city today to witness the inauguration of Kentucky's first Republican governor in 24 years.

Put Louie B. Nunn took the oath of office at 6:04 p.m. Monday in a brief, quiet ceremony in the Capitol.

At midnight he became the 48th man to serve as chief executive in the state's history.

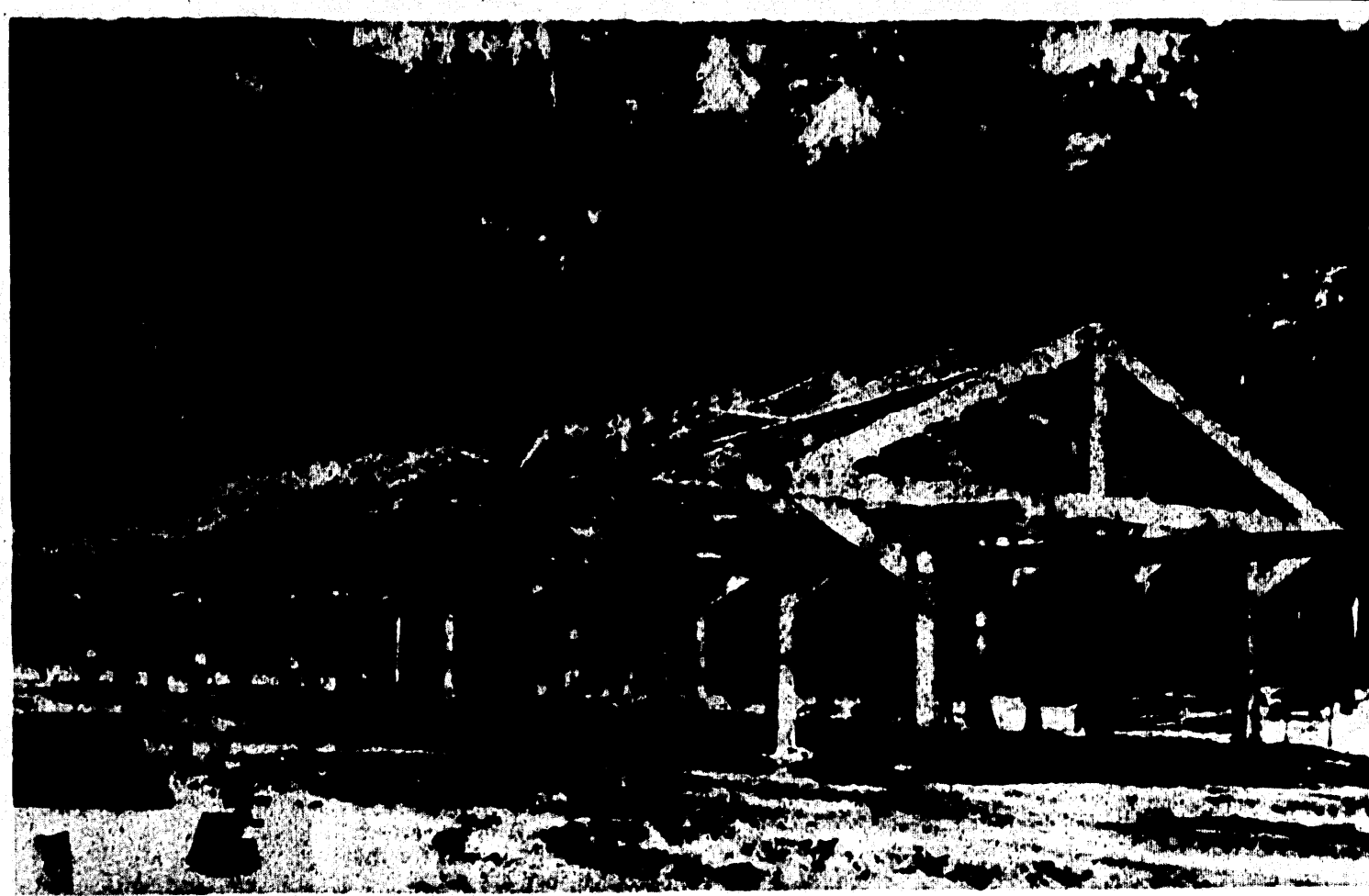
The early oath-taking is traditional in Kentucky and isn't expected to make much difference to the thousands who are braving the threat of a drizzle today to watch the ceremonies and pomp as outgoing Gov. Edward T. Breathitt hands over the reins.

A large wooden platform has been erected in front of the Capitol for the afternoon swearing-in ceremonies.

Nunn, a 43-year-old Glasgow lawyer was elected last month over former Highway Commissioner Henry Ward. He lost to Breathitt by a narrow margin four years ago.

Nunn's Democratic lieutenant governor, Wendell Ford, also was sworn in Monday night, but at a private ceremony at the Frankfort home of a friend.

Today's events include a parade, official ceremonies, public reception at the Capitol and four inaugural balls.



THE DELTA COUNTY Road Commission is building this large, 108 by 32 foot, pavilion in Pioneer Trail Park. Intended to accommodate large picnic groups when there is inclement weather, the pavilion is being constructed by road workers on a concrete slab. The building will not have walls, but will have a low masonry planter along the outside supports to restrict traffic. (Daily Press Photo)

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PTA Plan Aims To Prevent New Teacher Strikes

LANSING (AP) — The Michigan Congress of Parent-Teacher Associations says it plans to develop a series of programs aimed at helping parents understand the problems of teacher contract negotiations.

The plans were mentioned Monday at a Lansing meeting called by the PTA to try to find ways of heading off any repeat of this fall's widespread teacher strikes.

The PTA would encourage local PTA units to look into problems in contract negotiations facing school districts in their areas.

Attending the session were state education officials, and representatives of the Michigan Education Association, the Michigan Federation of Teachers, and administrators' groups.

"The Michigan PTA has the interests of the children in mind and their education," said Mrs. Joseph Kummer, legislative chairman for the State PTA.

"We cannot desert them and fail to provide them with the equipment needed to solve the problems they will face today and tomorrow."

Kai Erickson, chief negotiator for the MEA, took exception to the idea that delayed school opening hurts the children.

"It appears to me you are advocating a police state and denying opportunity under certain circumstances," he said. "I do not accept the delayed opening of schools as a great danger and is it in the public interest that schools open on time?"

The 12 officials attending the meeting, including Clifford Smart, R-Walled Lake, House Education Committee chairman discussed several problems concerning education and planned a second meeting at an undetermined time.

Poor Questions
Among the questions posed—but not answered—concerning teachers were:

- Should teachers be under civil service?
- Should a new look be taken at the teacher certification code?
- Should the portion of the Hutchinson Act that states it is unlawful for public employees to strike be removed or enforced?
- Should there be a system of merit pay?
- Should creation of an artificial time table be used to replace crisis negotiations?
- Questions concerning boards of education were:
- Is the local board of education local levels?

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Family Reunion
A family gathering was held recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marcel VerBrigge. Mr. and Mrs. Elmer LeClaire of lower Michigan who have recently returned from a vacation to New Zealand, showed movies of the family of Ray D. LeClaire, who resides there. He is the son of the late Jerry LeClaire, formerly of Perkins. Present were Dona LeClaire, Flint; Lionel LeClaire, Saginaw; Mr. and Mrs. Eugene LeClaire, Bay View; Mr. and Mrs. Ted Soyering, Gwin; Mrs. Joyce Cass, Bay View; Mr. and Mrs. Fred LeClaire, Gladstone; and Mr. and Mrs. Ray LeClaire.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Schmitt of Auburn, Wash. are the parents of a baby girl born October 7. Mrs. Schmitt is the former Marie Van Damme, daughter of the late Jule Van Damme of St. Nicholas.

Setting up electric trains beneath or near a Christmas tree is a fire hazard.

Grace Circle Yule Meeting Thursday

Grace Circle of First Lutheran Church LCW will hold their Christmas meeting Thursday at 2:30 p.m. at the church. The program will include scripture reading and prayer by Mrs. Herman Kinnis, vocal selections by Mrs. E. Mowelson, Jr., and a Christmas reading by Mrs. Jean Nelson. The Rev. Reuben Carlson, pastor, will bring the message and the members and friends will join in group singing.

Hostesses are Mrs. Ida Martin, Mrs. Harvey Carlson and Mrs. Erick Lindahl. All members who have not already brought their gift for the Lutheran Home may bring it to this Christmas meeting.

Obituary

JAMES L. DEFOREST
Funeral services for James L. DeForest were held at 9 a.m. today at All Saints Church with Magr. Matt Laviolette officiating. Burial was in Gardens of Rest Cemetery. Pallbearers were Romeo Thivierge, William A. Moore, Michael Murray, Oscar Wilmette, Alphonse Demeter and Alfred Brusoe.

Briefly Told

State Police ticketed Daniel L. Pardee of Gladstone Monday for failure to transfer registration plates.

Lodge 103 of the B. of E. T. will hold a regular meeting at the Legion Hall at 8 p.m. today.

SWIFT SHIP
The fastest time ever recorded for a day's run by a sailing ship is said to have been made by the American clipper ship, "Lightning," in 1854 when it covered 437 miles in 24 hours.

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Rock

The Rock 4-H club will meet at the Rock Lions clubhouse for the December meeting and Christmas party on Wednesday, Dec. 13 at 7 p.m. Gifts will be exchanged and games played. Money for dues and calendars should be turned in.

The Sacred Heart Guild will meet Thursday, Dec. 14 at 6:30 p.m. at the Lions clubhouse for the Christmas party and exchange gift.

Maple Ridge Township chairman, Lillian Roberts, will be collecting taxes on Fridays and Saturdays only from 9 a.m. until 5 p.m. and in January and February on Saturdays only.

Honor 4-H Pins
West Rock 4-H members who received county honor 4-H pins are: Clothing, Carol Niemela; Wildflower conservation, Karla Lee and Elaine Bakka; Dairy, Nancy Linjala; Electrical, Tom Lippens; Agriculture, James Kaulola; horticulture, Tom Lippens; foods, Joanne Niemela; photography, Susan Laitinen and Barbara Ahlgren; home economics, Joanne Niemela.

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Warren Woods Is Landmark Eligible

WASHINGTON (AP) — Warren Woods Natural Area, three miles north of Three Oaks in southwestern Lower Michigan's Berrien County, has been declared eligible for designation as a national landmark.

Interior Secretary Stewart L. Udall said that the Michigan site has been recommended by the Advisory Board on National Parks, Historic Sites, Buildings and Monuments. The site will be placed in the national registry of natural landmarks upon application by its owner. Participation in the program is voluntary.

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In This Corner

With RAY CRANDALL

Marquette stopped Stephenson's early season victory streak by trimming the Eagles, 66-48, extending their own string to four straight. . . . Bob Bartkowiak paced the Marines with 26 points while John Gunderson led Coach Guss Lord's quint with 16.

The tall and talented Trojans of Crystal Falls registered their fourth victory of the campaign by trouncing Kingsford, 90-58, in Menominee Range Conference action. . . . Gary Sackeck, 6 foot 6 inch senior center, led five Crystal Falls' players in double figures with 26 points.

Brian Ouimette, Iron Mountain's classy senior basketball performer, rammed in 16 field goals and nine free throws for 41 points as the Mountaineers ripped Iron River, 71-67. . . . The teams were deadlocked at 65-65 with 1:40 to go and Ouimette took charge with a field goal and four gift shots.

Preliminary steps have been taken to bring the Iron Mountain and Kingsford high schools onto one athletic field for football, track and other activities. . . . Officials of the two schools agree that a single field would make it possible to provide better facilities and larger seating capacity than are available now at the separate gridirons.

Post-season football honors continue to pile up for Gladstone's Tom Domes, senior defensive tackle at the University of Wisconsin this fall. . . . Domes has been named to receive the annual Russ Winnie Memorial Award as the Badger senior best combining scholastic achievement with athletic ability. . . . Domes will receive the award Wednesday at the 25th annual high school football awards dinner sponsored by the Milwaukee Journal at the Pfister Hotel.

Fairmont State of West Virginia, the team that sidelined Northern in the NAIA football playoff semifinals two weeks ago, won the championship by defeating Eastern Washington State, 28-21, at Morgantown, W. Va., Saturday.

Hancock snapped Painesdale's four game victory string in a Copper Country Conference thriller, 60-59, with Rich Salani scoring the winning field goal with two seconds remaining in the game. . . . Salani also took individual scoring honors for the night with 22 points.

Little Dollar Bay retained its unblemished cage record by defeating Doelle, 85-70, in a non-conference contest. . . . Louis Binonemi led the Bays to their fourth straight triumph with 27 points and four teammates also reached double digits.

Ewen-Trout Creek zoomed over the century mark in scoring for the second time this season by crushing Watersmeet, 116-43. . . . Dick Pole, leading scorer in the Upper Peninsula this season, tallied 24 points as the Panthers piled up an 89-31 lead through three periods. . . . The victory was the fourth straight after a season opening loss for Ewen-Trout Creek.

Wakefield's defending Upper Peninsula Class C cage champs are having their troubles in the Michigan-Wisconsin Conference this season. . . . The Cardinals suffered their second setback, 74-61, to Ashland and now own a 3-2 overall record this year.

Marquette kept a share of the Great Lakes Conference lead with Ishpeming by defeating Newberry, 76-59. . . . The Redmen, who have lost only to Escanaba this season, notched their third victory behind a balanced scoring attack led by Larry Ruffatto with 24 points.

Longer Returns From New Punt Rule This Year

NEW YORK (AP) — The controversial new punt rule might not have made a number of college football coaches happy, but not many punt-return specialists are complaining. They ran punts back 46 per cent farther than in 1966.

The new NCAA rule forbids linemen to leave the line of scrimmage to cover a punt until

the ball has been kicked. National Collegiate Sports Services statistics for 1967 showed Monday that major college teams averaged 67.8 punt return yards per game (both teams combined), the highest average since 1947 and a good deal farther than the 46.4 yards per game in 1966.

The 6.8 punts returned each game also represented a 20-year high.

Mike Battle of Southern California led the way with 570 yards, a 12.1 yard average, on 47 returns. Vic Washington of Wyoming was a close second with 565, 10.7, on 53 returns. The winning margin was the smallest ever.

Bob Goodridge of Vanderbilt snatched 13 receptions in his last game to jump from fifth in college basketball Monday night.

Reaser led all scorers with 29 points and brought his team from behind three times during the second period.

Detroit received balance scoring from its five starters, led by Bruce Rodwan's 20 points.

The Titans built up a 47-38 halftime advantage, outshooting West Virginia 44 per cent to 32 per cent.

HOLY NAME WINS

Holy Name's freshman basketball team defeated the Gwinnett freshmen 66-40 in a game Monday night at Gwinnett.

Rated Quints Play Tonight

By The Associated Press
Vanderbilt and Kentucky won't have to wait long before putting on the line their new, high-ranking positions in The Associated Press' major-college basketball poll.

Muskies Alone In First Place

By The Associated Press
Minnesota rests comfortably alone in first place in the Eastern Division of the American Basketball Association today after Indiana worked so hard and failed to gain a seat beside the Muskies.

Indiana fell one game behind Minnesota by losing to Dallas 119-114 Monday night in Dallas. A victory would have left them in a virtual tie for the top spot the Pacers held through most of the early season games.

In the only other game, Oakland defeated New Jersey 127-105.

Dallas held an 11-point lead after three quarters, but the Pacers pressed within 109-107 before the Chaparrals recovered and pulled out of danger.

Cincy Powell had 23 points for the Chaps and player-coach Cliff Hagan 20. Roger Brown led a three-man show for Indiana with 34 points followed by Oliver Darden's 23 and Fred Lewis' 22.

At Oakland, the Oaks snapped a four-game losing streak at the expense of New Jersey. Oakland built a 37-20 first-quarter lead and held a 68-49 halftime bulge.

Lavern Tart, the league's leading scorer, paved the way for the Oaks with 30 points and Gary Brads, in only his second game with Oakland, contributed 22.

In fact, both the Commodores and the Wildcats face other rated opponents tonight. Vandy, No. 3, goes against Davidson, No. 8, while Kentucky, No. 4, plays North Carolina, No. 7.

UCLA, once again with a solid lead in the weekly balloting, is idle this week. Houston, the runner-up, participates in the Bluebonnet Classic Wednesday and Thursday nights against George Washington, Mississippi State and Montana State.

The Bruins, 3-0 including victories over Wichita State and Iowa State last week, drew 34 first-place votes to the latest balloting by a national panel of 35 sports writers and broadcasters.

UCLA accumulated 349 points on the basis of 10 points for a first-place vote, 9 for second, 8 for third etc. Houston, which picked up the other vote for the top position, had 313 points.

Vanderbilt advanced from eighth place and Kentucky from the No. 9 spot. Louisville slipped two notches to fifth after losing to Northwestern, 88-83. The voting was based on games through last Saturday.

Boston College is sixth, a climb of four places, followed by North Carolina, Davidson, Indiana and Princeton.

Davidson, Indiana and Princeton are the new teams in the Top Ten. They replaced Kansas, Dayton and Purdue, fourth, sixth and seventh, respectively, a week ago.

The Top Ten, with first-place votes in parentheses and total points on a 10-9-8-etc. basis:

1. UCLA (34)	349
2. Houston (1)	313
3. Vanderbilt (1)	213
4. Kentucky (1)	178
5. Louisville (1)	142
6. Boston College (1)	144
7. North Carolina (1)	74
8. Davidson (1)	72
9. Indiana (1)	56
10. Princeton (1)	57

Jim Bunning Glutton For Hill Work At 36

CINCINNATI (AP) — Jim Bunning is a glutton for work — and for a pitcher of 36, he sure seems to thrive on it.

He led the National League in 1967 with 302 innings on the mound — down from 314 in 1966 — started 40 games, shut out the opposition in six of them and struck out 253 of the 1,216 batters he faced.

For sheer labor, his closest rival was Gaylord Perry of the San Francisco Giants. That 29-year-old right-hander worked 283 innings and faced 1,178 batters.

Perry ended up with a 15-17 record and an earned run average of 2.61, while Bunning was 17-15 and had an ERA of 2.29 — second only to Phil Niekro of Atlanta on the league's list of top 15 pitchers.

Niekro, 11-8, had an ERA of 1.87 and became the first reliever to start to win the title since the Giants' Stu Miller did it in 1958. Niekro made his first start for the Braves on June 13 and appeared in 46 games, started 20 of them.

Ferguson Jenkins of Chicago, who got tagged for 30 home runs, completed 20 games — two more than anybody else.

There were dozens of pitchers

who didn't complete any, as usual, and three who completed 18: Juan Marichal and Gaylord Perry of the Giants and Tom Seaver of the New York Mets.

Don Wilson of Houston pitched the only no-hitter of the National League season. Aside from that triumph on June 18 against Atlanta, there was nothing very distinguished about his 10-9 record. His ERA of 2.79 barely qualified him for the list of the top 15 with at least 162 innings on the mound.

That minimum work rule kept the pitcher with the best winning average from the list. Nelson Briles, St. Louis, whose 14-5 record averaged out to .733 victories, had an ERA of 2.44 but worked only 155 innings.

Three jumping tournaments are scheduled Feb. 17-18 at Ishpeming's Suicide Hill, including the annual International Ski Jumping Tournament, Feb. 18, as competitors from all over the world will be attempting to beat the hill record of 257 feet set in 1955 by a Japanese skier.

Central U.S. Ski Association junior alpine races are set for Jan. 6-7 and 13-14 at Boyne Highlands, Harbor Springs, with the championships on Feb. 10-11. Divisional championships will be determined and the Junior Alpine National Team will be selected in competition

Boozier Climbs To No. 3 Spot

NEW YORK (AP) — Bob Boozier bounced around the National Basketball Association for six years without setting the world afire, but expansion seems to have given him a hot hand.

The big forward of the Chicago Bulls, the league's new club last year, pumped in 112 points last week and jumped from seventh to third in the NBA scoring race with 682 points for a 22.7 average, statistics showed today.

Last year, Boozier averaged 18 points for the Bulls, far more than he ever managed for Cincinnati, New York or Los Angeles.

Dave Bing of Detroit still leads the league with 748 points and a 28.8 average, ahead of Elgin Baylor's 731 and 25.2.

Wilt Chamberlain of Philadelphia leads in field goal percentage with 54 per cent while Jon McGlocklin of San Diego is tops in free throws with 88.1 per cent.

Nate Thurmond of San Francisco leads Chamberlain by one rebound with 675, although Chamberlain has averaged more per game, 24.1 to 22.5.

Game Shifted To Nahma Gym

NAHMA — The Big Bay de Noc High School basketball game against Rapid River Friday night will be played at the Nahma gym instead of at Manistique as previously listed.

The host Black Bears have a 3-1 record with all victories against Central League foes. Rapid River is 2-1, with both the wins in league competition.

Basketball

City League Scores

Tom's Signs 62, No Names 37
Stone House 53, Norway
Pines-Dan's Bar 46
Merchants 63, Jels 61



U. S. SKI JUMPERS will compete Jan. 20-21, 1968, at Iron Mountain on the world's highest artificial ski jump, for a chance to represent the United States at the Winter Olympics at Grenoble, France, in February. The ski jump tryouts are among many exciting events listed in the winter edition of the Michigan Calendar of Events, available free from the Michigan Tourist Council, Lansing, Michigan, 48926. (Michigan Tourist Council Photo)

Ski Jump Dates Listed In State

Top U.S. ski jumpers will compete Jan. 20-21, at Iron Mountain, for a chance to represent the United States at the Winter Olympics at Grenoble, France, in February.

The tryouts are one of many exciting events that will focus attention of the sports world on Michigan during the 1967-68 winter season, according to the Michigan Tourist Council.

Pine Mountain, the world's highest artificial ski jump, is one of two U.S. sites selected for the Olympic tryouts. Teams of six jumpers and six alternates, as well as eight boys and six girls in the Alpine Division, will be chosen to represent the U.S. in France.

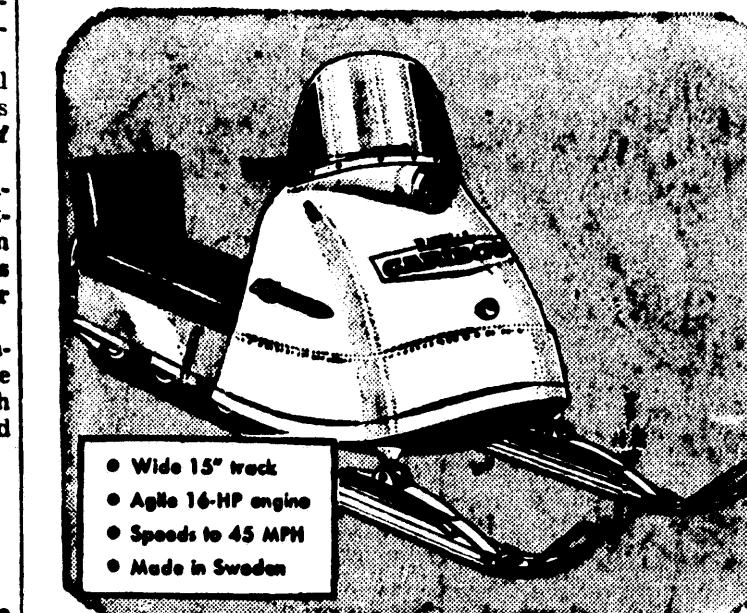
The mountain will also host another major jumping event, the Kiwanis Invitational Ski Jumping Tournament, March 9-10.

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Big Ten Schools Try Three Refs; Some Want None

NEW YORK (AP) — How many referees are best for a basketball game? Two, the present number used? Three, which has been tried in previous years and is getting support again this season? Or maybe one?

Referees were the main topic of discussion Monday at the weekly basketball writers luncheon. About 20 college coaches attended and most had something to say about the use of three officials.

John Nucetola, director of officials for the Eastern College Athletic Conference, introduced the subject—not for the first time—and said that the experiment was being used primarily in the East and the Big Ten Conference this year.

"In the three-official system, the officials don't get as tired, and I think you'll find there is less whistle blowing. The system was devised by me 19 years ago and tried then. I thought it worked out well."

The Big Ten will play 35 games with the new system and Villanova and St. Joseph's, Pa., will use it in some of their home games.

Kenny Norton, Manhattan coach, opposes the three-man setup, rather than two, and would prefer only one official.

"With two officials, you are dealing with two different personalities. Add another", Norton said, "and you have three separate personalities. It just makes for inconsistency."

"For instance, one official might miss a foul that his partner sees. He doesn't call it because he doesn't want him to look bad."

"Two or three referees have a tendency to lean on one another, it's human nature. They tend to relax. With just one official, you'll have consistency and find that he won't have a chance to relax. Therefore he'll be on the ball with less chance of missing a play."

In a lighter vein, Bobby Knight, Army's head coach, said, "At my urging, our athletic director has offered to play our home games without any officials."

Jim McDermott, Iowa coach, said he'd heard a lot of suggestions, "but I haven't heard any one suggest we play on the honor system."

The other problem Devine hoped to have in signing players who have won the league title and World Series. But he expects good help from outgoing General Manager Stan Musial with that problem.

Devine said he would hold Musial to his commitment to be available whenever the new general manager needed him.

"I'm going to lean as I did before on Stan and call on him to give us all the time he can," Devine said. "And that includes signing players. The outgoing general manager, in this case, is the best help in signing."

FINAL WEEK Football Winners

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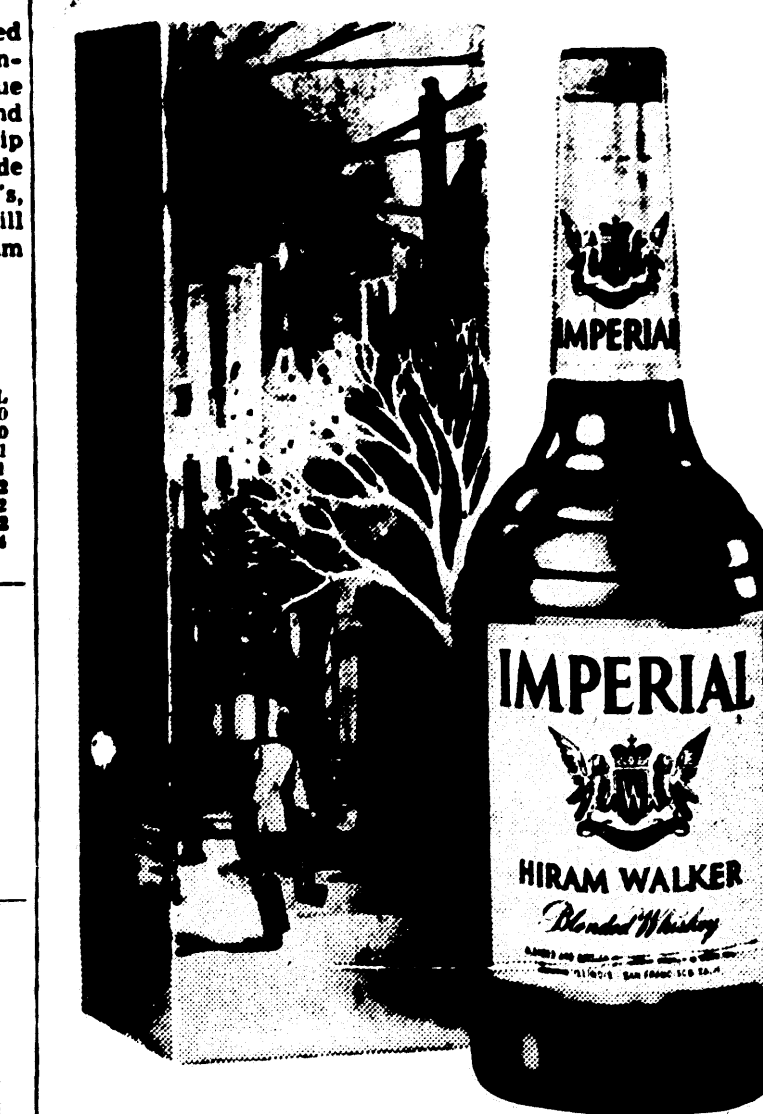
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Davis' Pride Hurt As Cowan Receives Saturday Game Ball

MILWAUKEE, Wis. (AP) — While Davis, the Packers' All-Pro defensive end, felt badly enough after Green Bay's 27-24 defeat to Los Angeles last Saturday, then he picked up the

Sunday newspaper and felt even worse. "It kind of messed up my whole day and it was already in a sad state of affairs," said Davis, the pride-driven captain of the National Football League's premier defensive unit.

What Davis read was that Charley Cowan, the Rams' crack offensive tackle, won the game ball for the blocking job he did on Davis.

"This made it doubly hard for me," said Davis. "You pick up the paper and you read that the man playing in front of you got the game ball. That didn't help my day. That's for sure. It kind of digs at you a little bit."

Davis was deeply worried anyway over the fact that the Packers surrendered 27 points to each of their last two opponents. The pass rush, led by Davis and tackle Henry Jordan, was less than spectacular on both occasions.

"That has hurt us more than anything else," said Davis, who has a habit of playing his best whenever his severest critic—himself—is displeased.

"It's an emotional thing, a mental thing. I don't know. I guess you just get into a rut. I hate like the devil, though, to think I didn't contribute all I should."

Davis gave due credit to Cowan. "If I get to play him again, I've got to be a better football player that day," he said.

The next day, Dec. 23, will bring a rematch here with either the Rams or with the Baltimore Colts, another team that owns a victory over Green Bay. The Rams and Colts play next Sunday for the right to meet the Packers for the Western Conference crown.

Davis and the other Packers insist they have no preference in opponents. "The Packers, meanwhile, close out their regular season

against the Steelers at Green Bay.

"Now, at least we have something to sink our teeth in," said Davis.

The Packer defensive unit had allowed as much as 20 points only on two occasions before edging the Vikings 30-27 Dec. 3. The relative defensive prodigality came only after the Packers had clinched the Central Division title.

As far as Jordan is concerned, that's no excuse. "You just can't turn it on or off like a switch. It's bugging me. I know it's bugging Willie. Twenty-seven points. It kind of hurts your pride a little bit."

Ray Nitschke, the veteran middle linebacker, seemed less concerned.

Pointing ahead to Pittsburgh and the playoff, he said: "Our defense will be representative of itself. We'll be ready to play football."



NANCY SEAVER waves goodbye to her husband, Tom, as he heads for class at the University of Southern California after being named National League 'Rookie of the Year.' The New York Mets pitcher is studying public relations during the off-season.

Michaels Regains Kicking Eye; Good News For Colts

BALTIMORE (AP) — The return of Lou Michaels' field goal kicking touch for the Baltimore Colts in time for Sunday's game at Los Angeles is akin to Ted Williams coming out of a batting slump on the eve of the World Series.

The comparison comes from Michaels.

He had suffered—and so had Colt fans—during a spell when he made only nine of 25 field goal attempts. And, of all things, he missed two extra points.

Even a left-footed booter such as Michaels isn't supposed to be that erratic.

Last Sunday Michaels had a perfect day, three for three. It was his third straight Sunday without a miss and the 10 field goals in a row are a record by a Colt.

"Although I don't want to compare myself with these athletes," Michaels said, "I feel it wasn't any different than Stan Musial, Ted Williams or a great hitter going a couple of games without a hit."

"Sooner or later they would

nailed one and it'd be all over. I am I am now," said the 10-year veteran. "The game we've got and when I started hitting the ball good again a few weeks ago will be the biggest one I've ever participated in, believe me."

The worst period was against Green Bay. Michaels missed one field goal, another didn't clear the line of scrimmage and on top of it all he missed an extra point, leaving the score 10-6 in favor of Green Bay with two minutes to play.

But, lo and behold, Michaels executed a perfect short kickoff a Colt recovered and Baltimore scored the winning touchdown. "I feel sure if it hadn't been for that inside kick they'd have run me out of the stadium," Michaels said.

Michaels was back in the groove Nov. 26 against San Francisco, kicking four field goals, one from 47 yards.

One of three he kicked next week against Dallas traveled only a line 53 yards, only three less than the National Football League record set by Bert Rechichar when he was a Colt.

"All I hope now is that I'm just as big a week from today

The Colts need a tie or victory Sunday—even though they have lost a game—to take the Coastal Division title from the Rams.

"I hope field goals don't enter into the decision against the Rams—I hope it's nothing but touchdowns," Michaels said. "The odds are against it. In the first game between the teams this season, each side kicked a field goal in a 21-21 tie."

Michaels succeeded from 45 yards with a 37-yarder. Green Bay cleared the goal post from two yards farther away for the Rams. Gossett hit the crossbar and toppled over in the last quarter.

In last Sunday's breathless 27-24 victory over Green Bay, Gossett kicked field goals from 23 and 16 yards out.

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Bowling Notes

Team	Points
Yield	20
Store Room	20
Winders	20
River Rats	27
Nite Owls	27
Engineers	27
Maintenance	27
Lab	27
Power Makers	20 1/2
Powerhouse	20
Wreckers	19
T	19 1/2

Five High Averages
T Butler 187, T. Elceter 178, N. S. 177, D. Boucher 176, G. S. 176.

HIG — Yard 895
HIM — Yard 841
HIG — D. Boucher 229
HIM — D. Boucher 224

Holiday Major League
Hawes Paint 32
K&L RR 32
Blitz 4-Paks 30
Pix Shoes 22
Bark River Concrete 22
Arthur's Restaurant 20
Ness Contracting 18
Kobasic Furniture 16

Five High Averages
W. Anderson 158, A. Nardi 157, D. Kline 174, E. Rudolph 172, J. Hitt 171.

HIG — Hawes 3157
HIG — Hawes 876
HIM — L. Kidd 550
HIG — D. Chouinard 229

Bark River League
Riverside Auto Sales 31 1/2
Kentucky Fried Chicken 28
Teals 28
Little Mike 24
Pabst 22 1/2
Junk Mileage 18 1/2
Joe's Auto Sales 14
Garnes Standard 13

Five High Averages
L. Mangan 146, A. Sunquist 144, N. Inglish 140, E. Rodgers, and M. Hynes 136.

HIG — J. Cass 174
HIS — A. Sundquist 464
HIG — Pabst 700
HIS — Riverside Auto Sales 1918

Bowlarama Major
Team Points
Anderson & Bloom 32
White Birch 30 1/2
Strohs 27
Vic's Standard Service 27
Super Valu 26
Rouman Lumber 25
Bowdram 24
Gaffner Machine 24
Polvin's 24
Dewey's 24
Johnston Printers 24
Florida Mobil Service 23
Anders Industries 23
Charmont Nur. Co. Un. 21
Rubick's Inn 19
U. P. Power 11 1/2

Five High Averages
E. Vanderbrugg 187, N. Geran 183, R. McDonald 181, F. Smith, B. Barnhart 180, B. St. Onge 178.

HIG — Dewey's 2269
HIG — N. Geran 566
HIM — N. Geran 642
HIG — B. Curtis 236

Wed. P.M. Women's Holiday
Team W L
Keymours Vending 30 18
Granada 29 19
Larsons 29 19
Birds Eye Veneer 25 25
Becks Plumberettes 25 25
Dewey's 25 25
Teals Evergreen 19 1/2 28 1/2
West End Drug 19 20

Five High Averages
C. Cavades 161, E. Kivela, H. LaPorte 160, C. Kallenbach, E. DeGrand 156, L. Jensen 155, D. Costley 151.

HIG — D. Costley 211
HIS — E. Kivela 336
HIG — Larsons 818
HIS — Larsons 2304

Women's Wed. Late League
Team Points
Clairmont Transfer 31 1/2
Gus' Plumberettes 34
Pecerson Real Estate 25
Woody's Bar 25
Rexall Drug 20
Empson Insurance 19
Standard Oil 14
K & K Mfg. Rock 12

HIG — A. Granskog, E. Valier 175
HIM — D. LaPlant 406
HIG — Clairmont Transfer 775
HIM — Clairmont Transfer 2176

Five High Averages
B. Verhanne 161, C. Lake 150, L. Barak, N. Hult, B. Lindahl 149, J. Martin, M. Burroughs 147, D. LaPlant 145.

Women's Wed. Late League
Team Points
Gambler's 465
Della Furnace 442
Mustangs 428
Lucky Lewke 424
Vikings 406
Jackie 402
O. K. Auto 402
Bombers 387
Pirates 387
Aces 386
Reamers 378
Truckers 378
Farmers 354

Indiana, Purdue Notch Victories

CHICAGO (AP)—Indiana and Purdue, a pair of top contenders for the Big Ten basketball title, turned in victories Monday night.

Indiana, ranked ninth nationally, recorded its fourth straight victory without defeat by whipping Kansas State 89-83, and Purdue, defeated Ohio State University 78-68.

The twin triumphs boosted the Big Ten record to 19-10 for the season against intercollegiate foes.

Indiana defeated Kansas State 89-83 but the Hoosiers trailed 42-41 at the half. With five minutes gone in the second half, Indiana went ahead to stay on a basket by Joe Cooke, who finished the game with 16 points.

High for the Hoosiers was Earl Schneider with 26 and Vern Payne added 21.

Purdue, dropped from the rankings since a 73-72 loss to UCLA was compounded by a 96-87 defeat to Washington, battled back for a second straight tri-

umph by defeating Ohio University.

Sophomore Rick Mount scored his lowest total of the season but his 18 points proved high for Purdue. Bill Keller added 17 for the Boilermakers who had to offset a 27-point performance by Mark McClintick.

Big Ten activity slows down tonight with Michigan State at Western Michigan. No action is slated on Wednesday, but Thursday finds Brigham Young at Illinois, Indiana State at Purdue and Michigan State at Butler.

Big Ten

CHICAGO (AP) — A proposal to boost the allotment of football tenders from 30 to 35 is on the agenda of the Big Ten's annual winter meetings in Chicago starting Wednesday.

Football is limited to an annual quota of 30 accepted initial tenders and proposals to increase this amount have been routine in the past.

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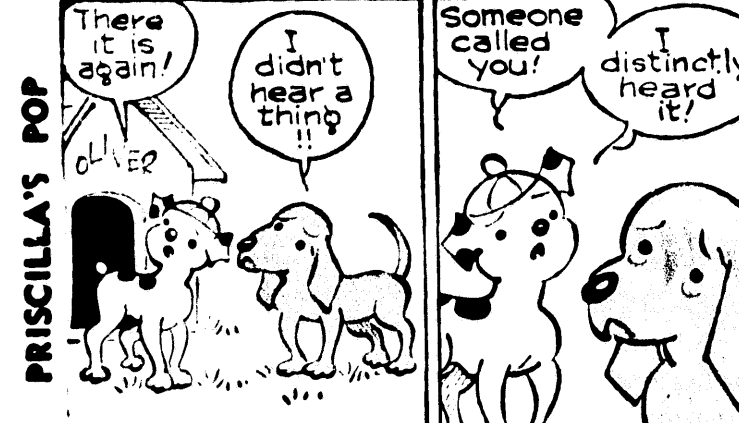
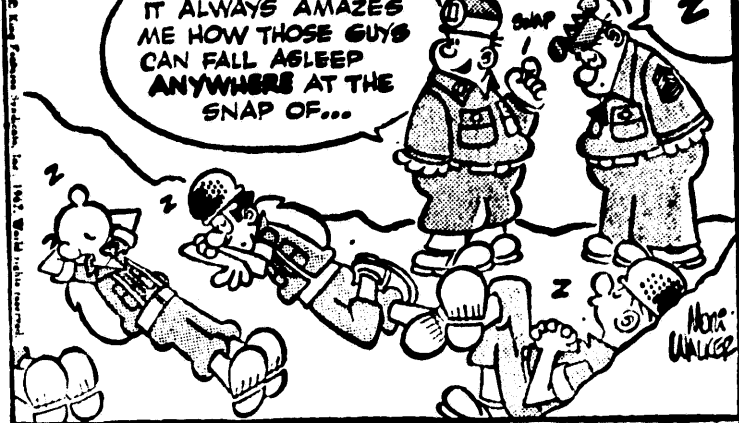
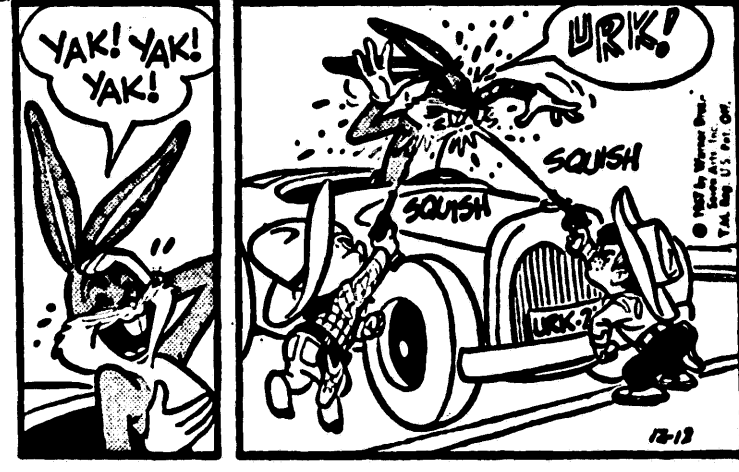
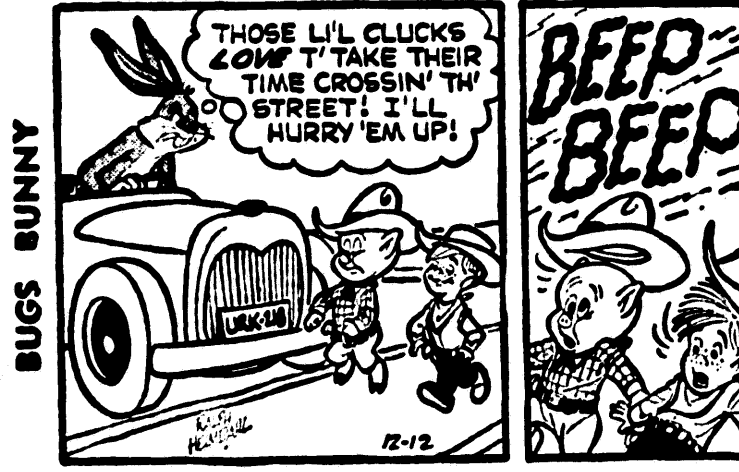
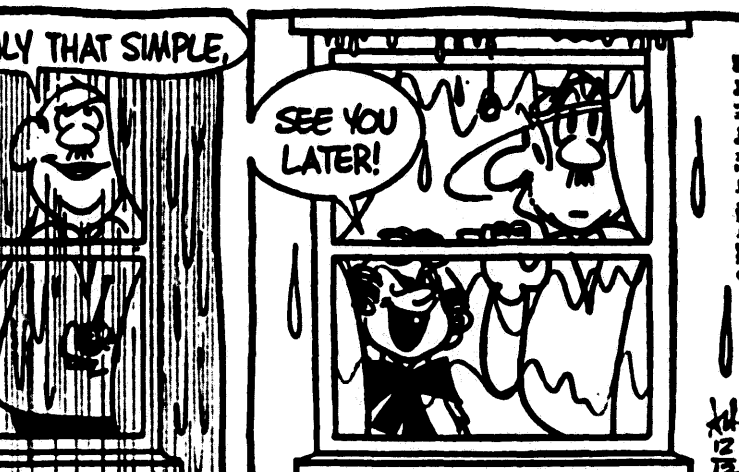
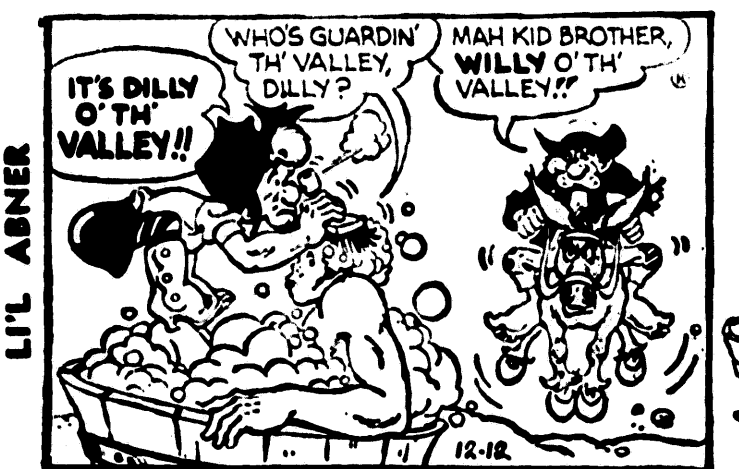
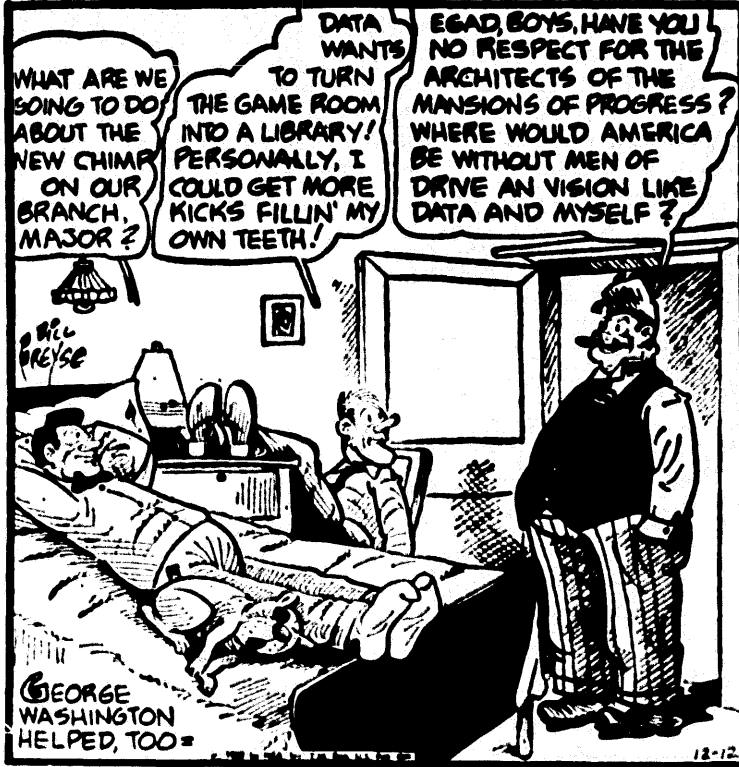
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'Man's Home His Castle' Saved Murder Defendant

By ROSE LACHAPPELLE
In Lower Michigan "The uncommon common law of Upper Michigan" expresses the peninsula's determination and abilities regarding what it feels is right. Sometimes jurists like Theodore Souris of the Michigan Supreme Court use it to express admiration of the area's people. From the area also has come the principle that "A man's home is his castle."

Among references to its establishment in the trial of Augustus Pond for the June 18, 1859 murder of Isaac Blanchard Jr., is one in "Michilimackinac," a history of the St. Ignace area copyrighted in 1958 by Emerson Smith and Nora Fox.

Pond was tried by jury, found guilty of manslaughter and sentenced to 10 years in prison. The Supreme Court reviewed the case in April 1960 and ordered a new trial. Justice Campbell wrote the decision with Justices Manning and Christy and Chief Justice Martin concurring.

The higher court found the district court erred in requiring actual rather than apparent and reasonably-founded causes of apprehension of injury in holding protection of the net house could not be made by dangerous weapon and that conduct of the assaulting party was not felonious in that language used was calculated to mislead the jury upon the means and extent of resistance justifiable in resisting a felony.

Home His Castle
Through counsel, Pond had asked the court to instruct the jury on the principle that a man's home is his castle, and some other points. The judge did not do this but did include



SEUL CHOIX AND Goodreau's Harbor today are quiet places, with such buildings as the Vern Goodreau cabin reminders of what was once a thriving fishing village, where Isaac Blanchard was shot and killed 107 years ago. (Daily Press Photo)

it in his own charge to the jury. Blanchard, who was 6'7" and weighed 240 pounds, lived at Seul Choix Point, which was part of Delta County, but attached to Mackinac for judicial purposes.

Blanchard is buried in Gros Cap Cemetery. When his body was transferred 10 years after his death to the cemetery proper, an aunt viewed the body and found it remarkably well-composed, with the black hair very long. Limestone formations are believed in part responsible for its preservation. The word "murdered" on his tombstone is partly chipped away.

Decision Reversed
Pond, with his wife, three children and two hired men, Daniel Whitney and Dennis Cull, lived near the point and Blanchard and David Plant near the Harbor, at the base of the point.

The Ponds' house was 16 foot square and housed family members while the hired men lived in a net house, 16 by 14 feet, which was 36 feet from the house the Ponds lived in. Whitney had been in the employ of Pond two weeks and Cull, one. The houses were of board construction with bark over roof joints and doors attached with leather hinges. There were a number of houses of fishermen along and near the shore.

On the Thursday afternoon preceding Blanchard's death, Plant is reported to have said, in the presence of Blanchard, to Mrs. Downey that he had to whip Pond "or there would be a fracas." The remark was heard by Pond's daughter, who was passing by, and relayed to her relatives. That evening 15 to 20 persons gathered on the point between the houses of Joseph Martell and a Mr. Durocher, looking for Pond, whom they overtook near Durocher's, according to Mary Pond, a daughter.

Slept In Nethouse
Jerry Williams, a witness, said, with the people in a circle about them, Plant struck Pond in the face with his fist, knocking off his hat, and then kicked him in the chest. He had called Pond got a pistol, not loaded and "with no lock" from Martell, saying he needed it for his hired man. Pond stayed up Friday night, though his men, Whitney and Cull went to bed in the nethouse. The moon rose at 11:10 p.m., giving considerable light.

During the day, Plant is supposed to have told Pond he must whip him "as it's a good while since you have had a grudge against me." At the Peter Closs dock he was reported to have said he had to whip Pond or "pass for the biggest loafer on earth."

Men Quarrelsome
Between 1 and 2 a.m., Friday, Whitney awakened to the sound of boards being pulled from the roof, but Cull did not awaken. The three then went to Pond's, used requests for crackers and sugar to try to get Mrs. Pond to open the door, which she did not. Pond was under the bed in his home.

The group then went to Louis Robinson's, who lived with Thomas Ward. Ward gave them bread and butter. Blanchard is supposed to have put his hand on Ward's shoulder saying "I want to see Gust Pond. He abused an Irishman and I want to see him abused just as bad." Plant is reported

to have said he had to have a fight with Pond and if he couldn't whip him, "Isaac will whip him."

Court records show that while the men were at Ward's, Plant spoke of the three as an army, with Plant as captain, Robillard as Bonaparte and Blanchard as the soldier who had to do what they said. As they left, Blanchard was some distance behind them and Plant hailed to him, asking if he was afraid and stating "What's the use of being afraid?" After going to George Porkkains', they went again to Pond's. Not gaining entry to the house, they went to the net house and began tearing it down. Plant went inside and took Cull from bed, holding his throat.

Killed By Bird Shot
Pond came to the door, told the men twice to leave and then fired one shot from a double-barrelled shotgun loaded with pigeon shot which he had borrowed from his brother-in-law, Peter Closs. Testimony showed the boards stopped rattling a few seconds before the gun was fired, (one or two seconds after the second order to leave.) Blanchard's body was found in a path in small bushes, 212 feet from the Pond house, a little after daylight, with "pigeon shot wounds sufficient to cause his death."

Pond went to the home of his father-in-law, Mr. Beaudoin before sunrise and met his brother, Louis Pond, a constable, to whom he gave himself up and asked to be taken to Beaver Island to give himself up to the law.

Louis Pond did not take him in custody as he said "his men understood the matter better" than he and that he, Louis, did not think of himself as constable due to excitement of the occurrence. Pond started for Beaver Island with Whitney and Cull rowing a boat and had gone 18 of the 25 miles when he was overtaken by a group in a boat which included his brother, the constable, Plant, Robillard and three other persons, who took him to Seul Choix and then the Mackinac County jail.

Wilson Newton testified at the trial that Pond had told him Robillard was on the roof

First Baptist Yule Program Set Dec. 17

The First Baptist Church will have a Christmas program Dec. 17 at 7 p.m. The opening and welcome speech for the program will be given by Rev. Roy Pitts.

The program will include "The Christmas Story" read by Diane and Debbie Stevenson. The primary department will present a Christmas Acrostic by James Lockwood, Joseph Martin, Kevin Swanson, Gloria Griner, Cheryl Atkins, Linda Schubring, Lori LaBar, Todd LaBar, Sharon Swanson, and Phillip Stevens.

The middle department will have recitations by Christine Martin, Lu Ann Swanson, Calvin Blowers, Michelle Heminger, Paula Klagstad, Calvin Stevens, Mike Repp, Barry Schubring, Kevin Patz, Jeffery Lockwood, and Carolyn Blowers.

The kindergarten will give recitations by Lisa Schubring, Marsha Tyrell, Larry Patz, Charles Atkins, Kathy Repp, Pam Martin, Julie Berger, Doug Martin, Barb Heminger, Wayne Smith, Bruce Eckstein, Billy Hockstad, Judy Tyrell, Linda Swanson, and Wally Hockstad.

A song "The King's Birthday" will be sung by the middle and junior departments. The Junior High will present a Christmas tableau with David Blowers as narrator. The Christmas Prayer will be given by Junior Class members Julie Thorell, Kim Atkins, Janelle McGregor, Jeri Gierke, and Tom Smith. The birthday cake will be presented by Sandy Johnson and the group will sing.

The program will end with benediction.

Square Dance Club Visited

A well-attended dance of the Merri-Makers Square Dance club was held Saturday in Hiawatha school with four sets dancing to calling by Ernest Hololik.

Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Louis Berro of Escanaba, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph LeBeau of Bark River, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Morrison and Mr. and Mrs. Allan Swanburg of Munising. Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Preuss, Mrs. Vilas Young and Maria Mrosek served on the committee. The next dance is Dec. 30 in Hiawatha school gym.

Church Events

First Baptist
Instrumental practice will be held at the church Saturday, Dec. 16 at 10 a.m. Gary Lester will be director. Junior High instruction classes will be held at the church parsonage at 11 a.m. Dec. 16. The Junior Choir will hold rehearsal at 9 a.m. Sunday, Dec. 17 at the church. They will participate in the 11 a.m. Worship Service. The annual church Christmas program will be held at 7 p.m., Dec. 17.

Bethel Baptist
Trustees will meet Tuesday at 7:30 p.m., in the church.

Briefly Told

Mom's of America Unit 31 will have its Christmas party Dec. 14 at 6 p.m. at the VFW Club Rooms. There will be a \$1.00 exchange gift.

The American Legion will hold a regular meeting Wednesday, Dec. 13 at 7:30 p.m. at the VFW Club Rooms.

St. Anne's Altar Society will meet Tuesday, Dec. 19th at 8 p.m. instead of Dec. 14th as planned.

Hospital

Admitted to Schoolcraft Memorial Hospital: J. D. Lamb, Mary Traver, Becky Desjardin, Barbara Goldie Elio Andree, Hilda Scharstrom and Earl Burns.

Discharged: Velma Lakosky and baby, Dixie Keinonen and baby, John Valentine, Henry McGahan, Generva Ruggles, Stephen Smith and Roseanne Reid.

Isabella

Mr. and Mrs. Garland LeVigne and children have returned to their home in Kalamazoo after visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Francis LeVigne.

Dies In Vietnam

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Defense Department lists Army Spec. 4 Thomas P. Ciesura of Detroit as having died in Vietnam of nonhostile causes. Ciesura previously was listed as missing. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Steven J. Ciesura.

Schoolcraft County EVENTS AND NOTICES

New Year's Eve party and dance at the VFW Hall Dec. 31 for VFW and Auxiliary members and guests.

Saul Choix light station will permit visits by youth organizations. Advance arrangements should be made.

Presbyterian Guild Christmas pot luck and gift exchange party at the home of Mrs. Carl Carlson, 222 Range St., Wednesday, Dec. 13 at 6:30 p.m. Bring table service.

The Manistique Rifle & Pistol Club will hold their regular monthly supper meeting on Wed., Dec. 13th at 7 p.m. Arvid Larson's committee will be in charge.

Story Hour Saturday, Dec. 16 at Lincoln Kindergarten at 10:30 a.m. Christmas stories and music will be featured. Children 3 years and older are invited.

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Quake Toll In India Hits 115

BOMBAY, India (AP) — The earthquake toll in southwest India rose to 115 today as search parties fanned out to isolated hamlets in the Western Ghat mountains. There were estimates as many as 200 may have died.

More than 1,000 injured persons were seeking treatment. Hospitals in Karad Sangli and Satara, the towns closest to the disaster area, were unable to take more patients.

The quake rocked the Koyana area 150 miles southeast of Bombay before dawn Monday. Many were killed when houses built of granite blocks collapsed on them as they slept.

Only a few tin sheds were reported left standing in Koyana, a town of 10,000 near the Koyana Dam. The dam, one of the largest hydroelectric projects in Asia, apparently was not damaged, but transmission lines to Bombay were broken and 700,000 factory employees were put out of work, perhaps for several days.

Among the dead were M. P. Sarnik, executive engineer of the dam, and his wife.

Mild earth tremors were felt again early today in Poona and Bombay but there was no report of additional damage.

Convoys carrying medical personnel, relief workers, food and medicine proceeded slowly today over badly damaged roads into the quake area.

The quake, which was recorded by the New Delhi meteorological station at 7.5 on the Richter scale, rocked a 400-mile strip of India's southwest coastal area from Surat, in Gujarat state, to Mangalore near the Kerala state border.

Detroit Held In Buffalo For Bank Robbery

BUFFALO, N. Y. (AP) — A 25-year-old Detroit man was held in the Erie County jail awaiting an appearance before a U. S. commissioner on charges of robbing a Detroit bank on Nov. 27.

FBI agents arrested Victor M. Daniels Monday on a federal warrant charging him with the \$6,500 robbery of the Wayne-Oakland Bank in Detroit. He was held in lieu of \$50,000 bail.

Agents said Daniels was taken into custody in a parked car on Buffalo's near East Side only an hour after he arrived in the city. Two others in the vehicle were arrested on weapons charges by city police, who said two loaded handguns were found in the car.

Daniels had traveled into Canada and also had been in New York City and Rochester, N.Y., before arriving here, an FBI spokesman said. He was unarmed, the spokesman said.

The two companions charged with possession of weapons were identified as Thomas T. Bragg, 24, and Miss Shirley Silar, 20, both of Detroit. Daniels had been traveling in their car, the FBI said.



DETERMINED LOOK is worn by this Saigon girl along with her Vietnamese version of the miniskirt.

Sault Educator, Lawrence Ozzello, To Receive Degree

SAULT STE. MARIE—Lawrence M. Ozzello, associate professor and chairman of the Business Administration Dept. of Lake Superior State College will receive his Doctorate degree in ceremonies this month at Michigan State University.

(He is married to the former Patricia Anderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Anderson, Rte. 1, Gladstone. The couple has four children.)

A native of Kingsford, Ozzello received his bachelor's degree from Northern Michigan University and his master's degree from the University of Michigan. He also attended the University of Chicago and the University of Wisconsin.

Assists Thailand

EAST LANSING (AP) — Dr. John Jamrich, associate dean of the Michigan State University College of Education, will leave Wednesday for Thailand to assist in educational planning there under sponsorship of the U.S. Agency for International Development. He will return to East Lansing in February.

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